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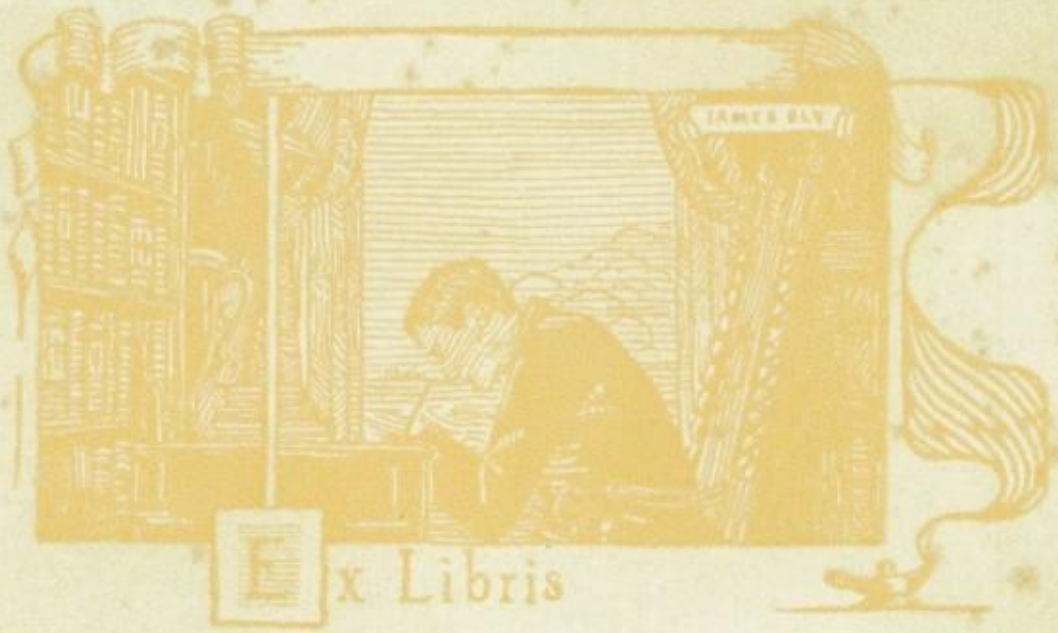

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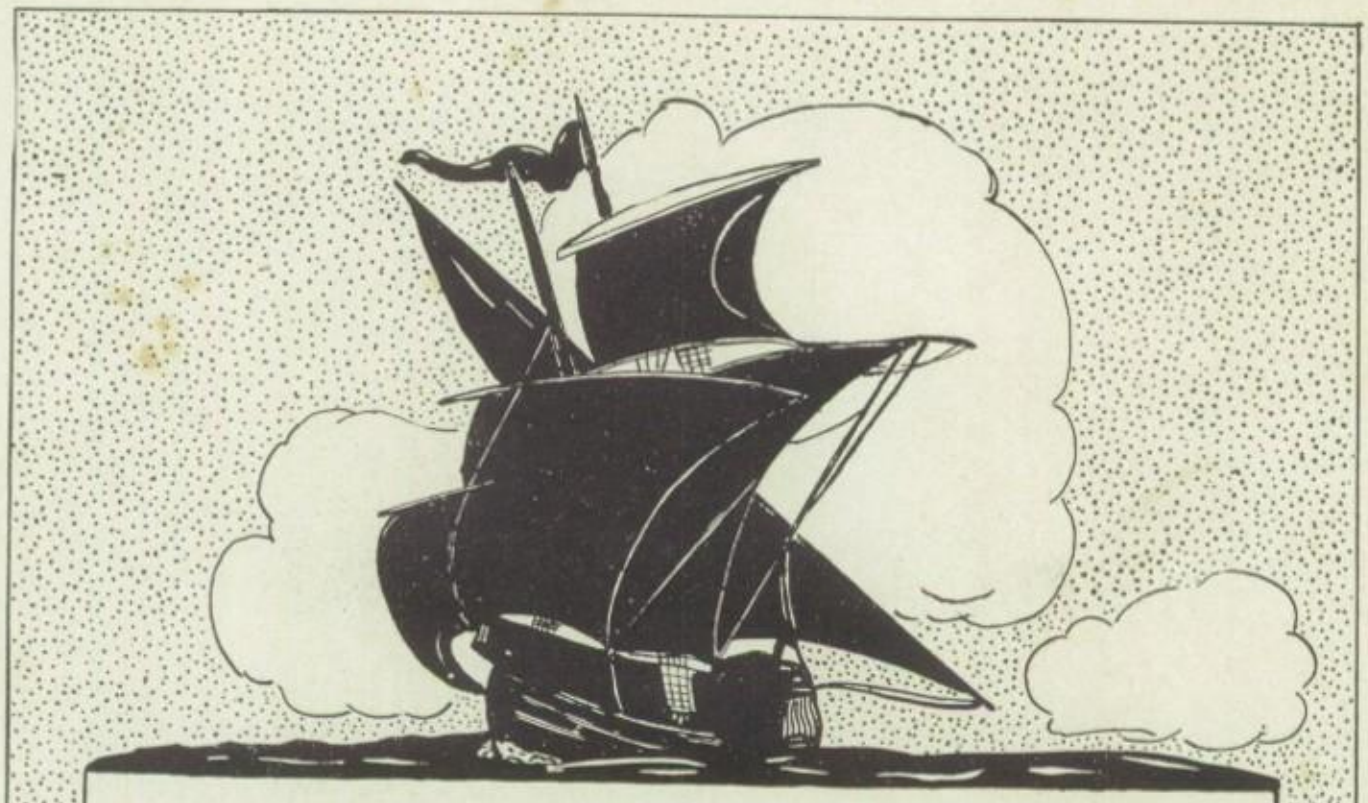

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KNOXVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

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VOICE '27

Foreword

THAT we may continue the record of the activities of the student body of Knoxville High School, so faithfully begun by the Senior classes of the past, and that we may preserve in their minds the pleasant associations of the past year, we, the Staff of '27, present to the friends and patrons of our school this edition of the "Voice."

To

C. L. NORTHCUTT

the capable adviser of the Class of '27, we,
the Staff of the "Voice", respectfully
dedicate this annual in grateful
appreciation of his kind
and faithful service.

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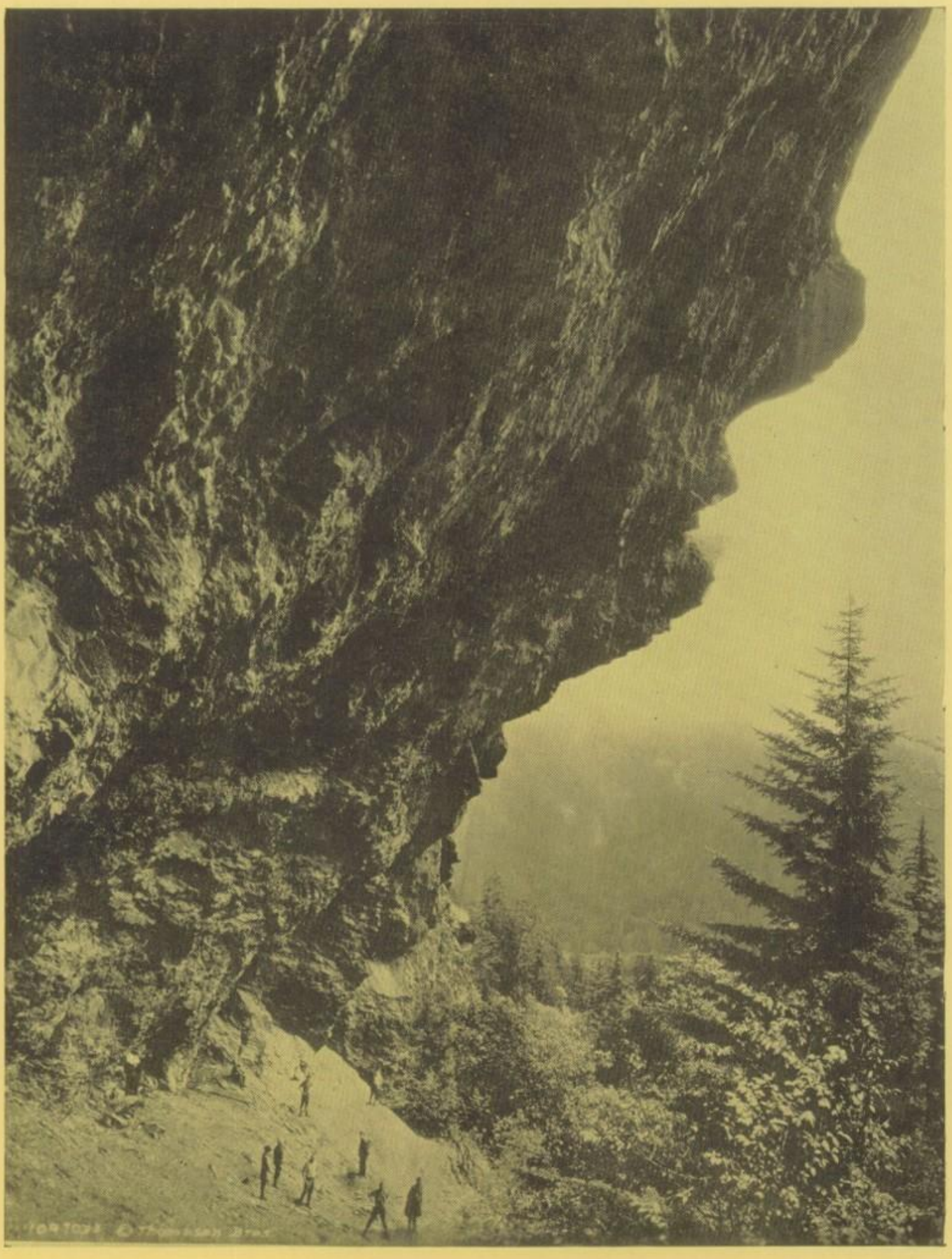
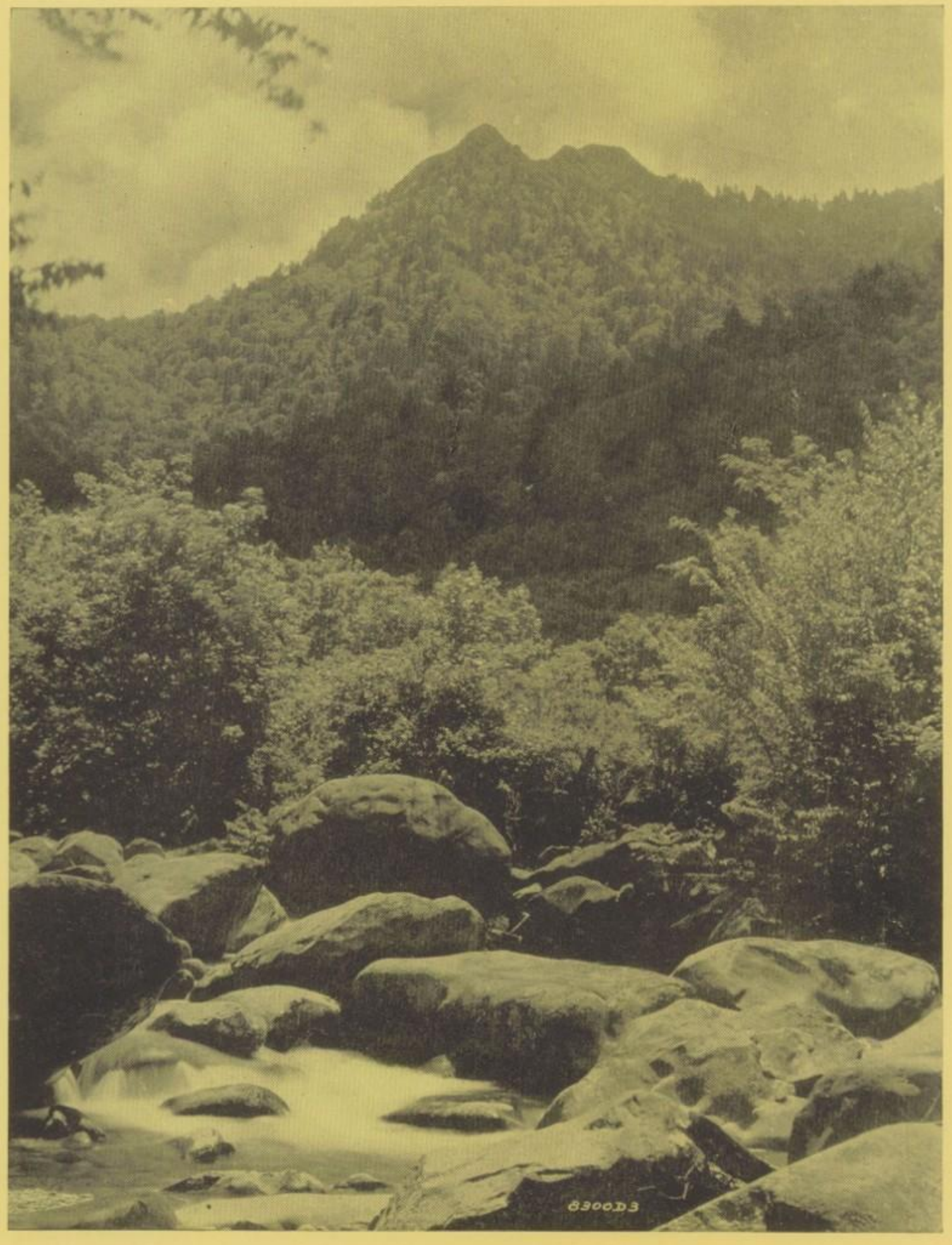
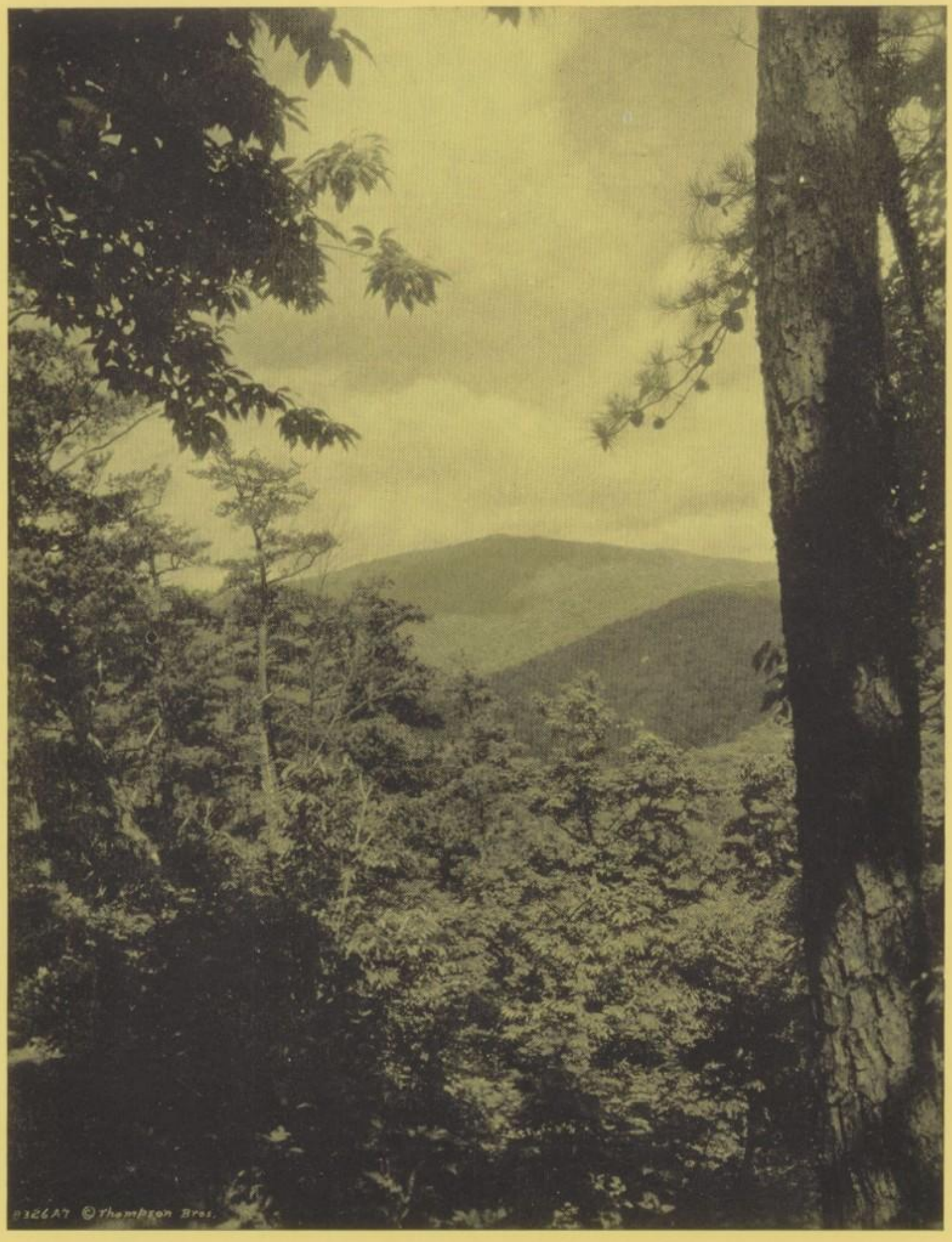


" - - - The hills,
Rock-ribbed, and ancient as the sun."

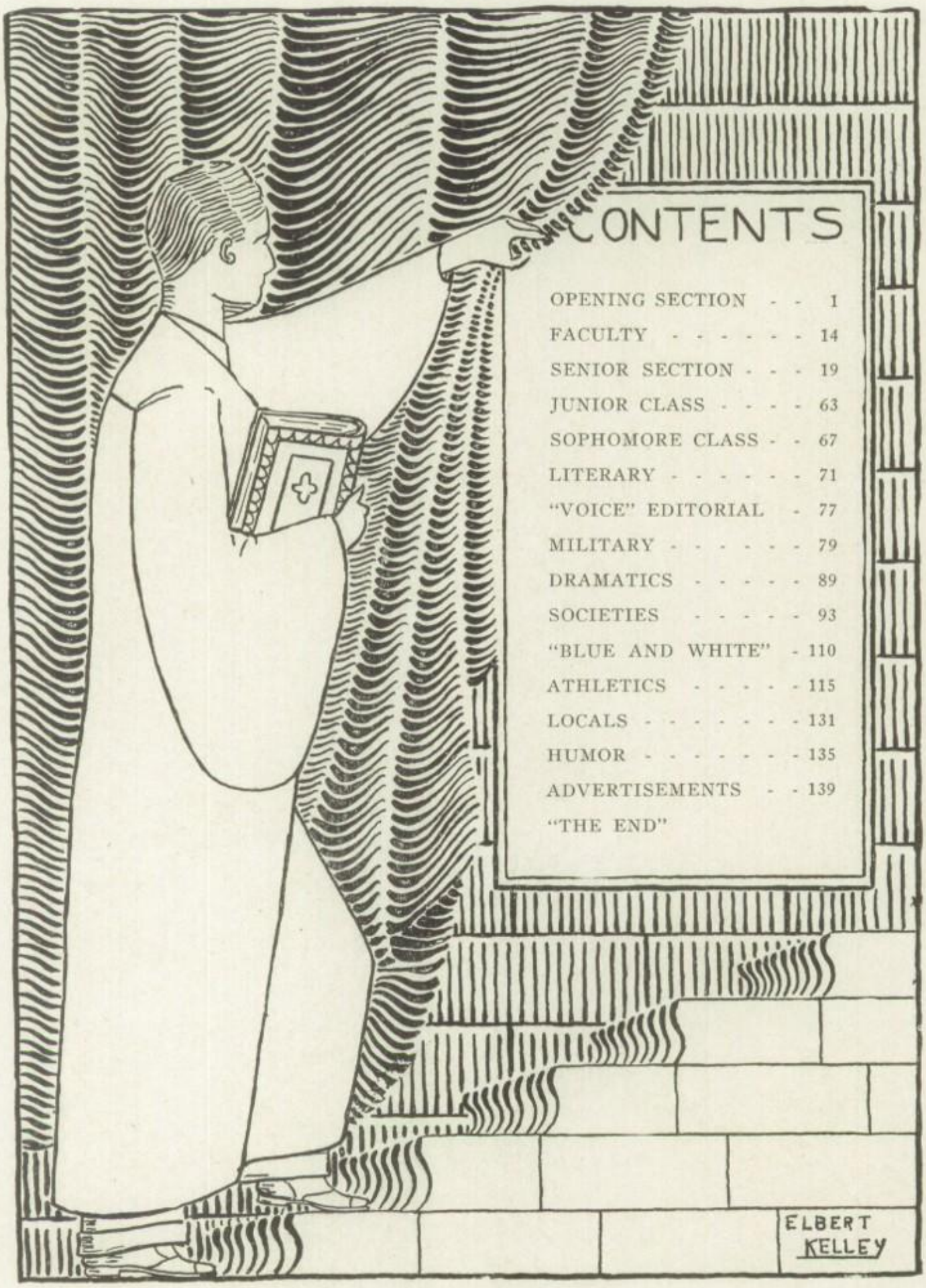


"Two voices are there: one of the sea,
One of the mountains, each a mighty voice."

" - - - Melting heaven with earth,
Leaving on craggy hills and running streams
A softness like the atmosphere of dreams."



"The monarch of mountains;
They crowned him long ago
On a throne of rocks, in a robe of clouds,
With a diadem of snow."



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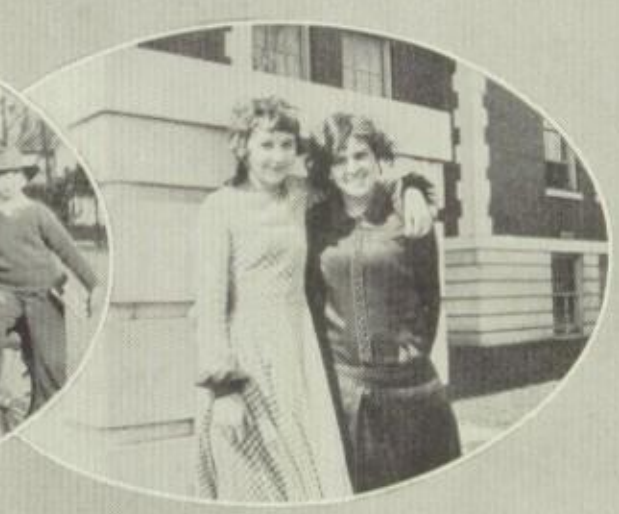

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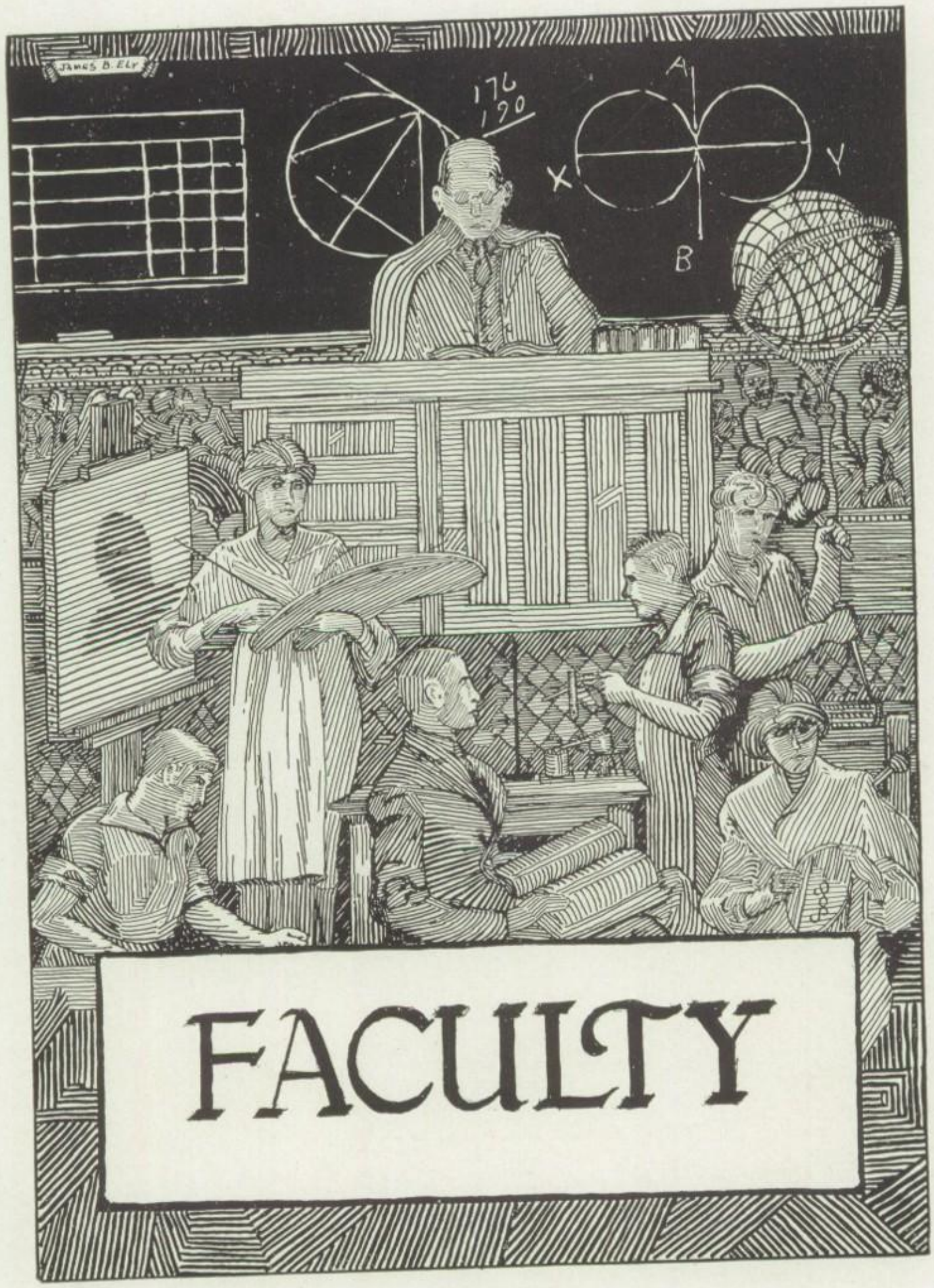

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EVERYBODY'S FRIEND.

SONG-BIRDS!

HOW DOES HE DO IT?

OH! YOU CHICKENS!

AREN'T WE CUTE?

LOOK! SNOW!

"EAT WAGONS."

THE VOICE

SENIORS

Class Poem

I

We have fought our battles, we have lost and won.
Now we enter portals of our life begun,
Gateways full of promise of a life to be,
Offering each a boundless opportunity.
Fleeting time has dried away the tears,
Brought by the blows of former years,
And made eternal each success
That marks our road to happiness.
'Long mem'ry's way we linger yet
O'er days we cannot e'er forget,
Days of joy and carefree youth,
When life is hope, and hope is truth.

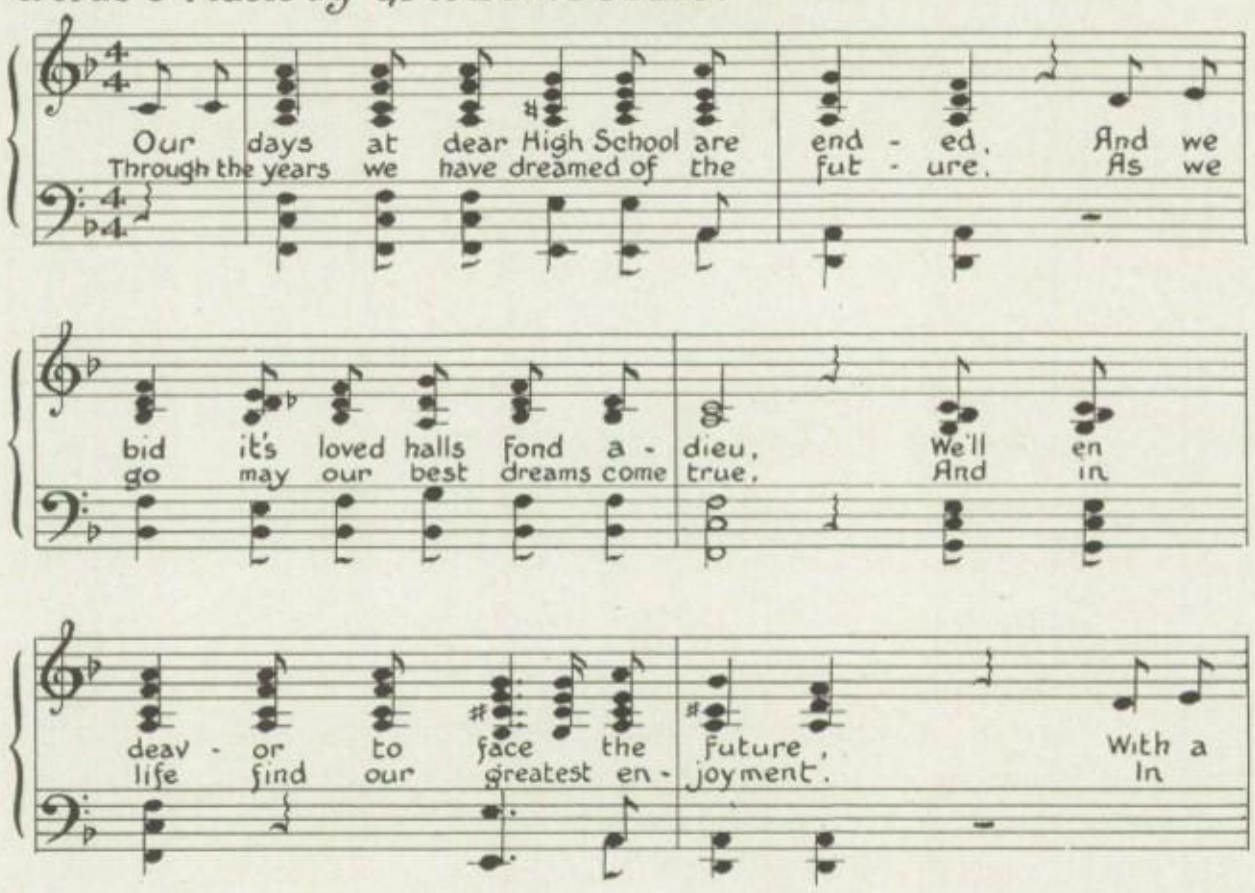
II

Greater life's before us, the door is open wide,
The world with glowing colors, calls sweet from every side,
And though they dim at closer sight
The strength of hope will keep them bright.
The pulse and heart-throb of the earth,
Noble deeds and thoughts of worth
Beat and blend within our souls
As the maze of life unfolds.
May our eyes see only beauty,
May we cling to love and duty,
Great Divine, help us to be
True to faith, and hope, and Thee.

—Ruth Hallyburton, '27.

CLASS SONG

Words & Music by *Greta M. Biddle.*


Our days at dear High School are end - ed, And we
Through the years we have dreamed of the fut - ure, As we
bid it's loved halls fond a - dieu, We'll en
go may our best dreams come true, And in
deav - or to face the future, With a
life find our greatest en - joyment, In

Pur - pose both worthy and true; But where ever we may
Serv - ing the many or few; We'll be bound by one great
Wan - der well be loyal to K H S, And in
Pur - pose That right shall be our guide And
Grat - i - tude to those who have taught us, To the world we will eer give our
Thus we shall eer be u - nit - ed, Tho scattered our class far and

Chorus

Best Wide. We'll be loyal to thee Blue and White. Though

scattered a - far we may be Class of

nine teen hundred twenty seven Will

cher - ish fond memories of thee.

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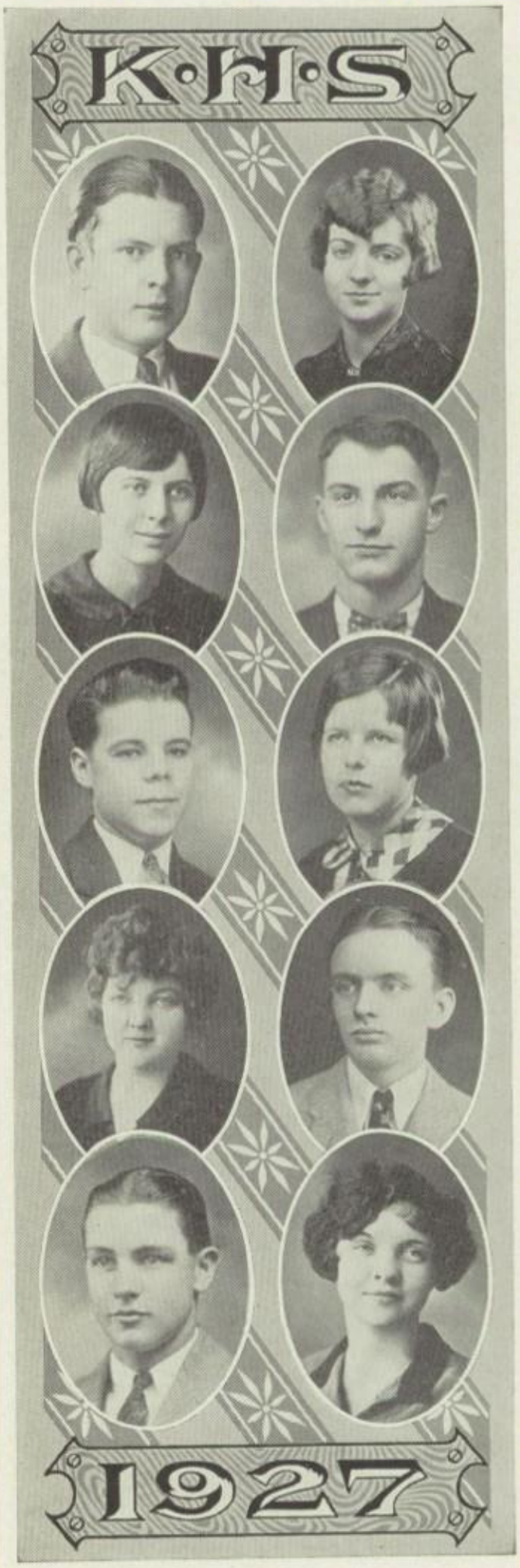

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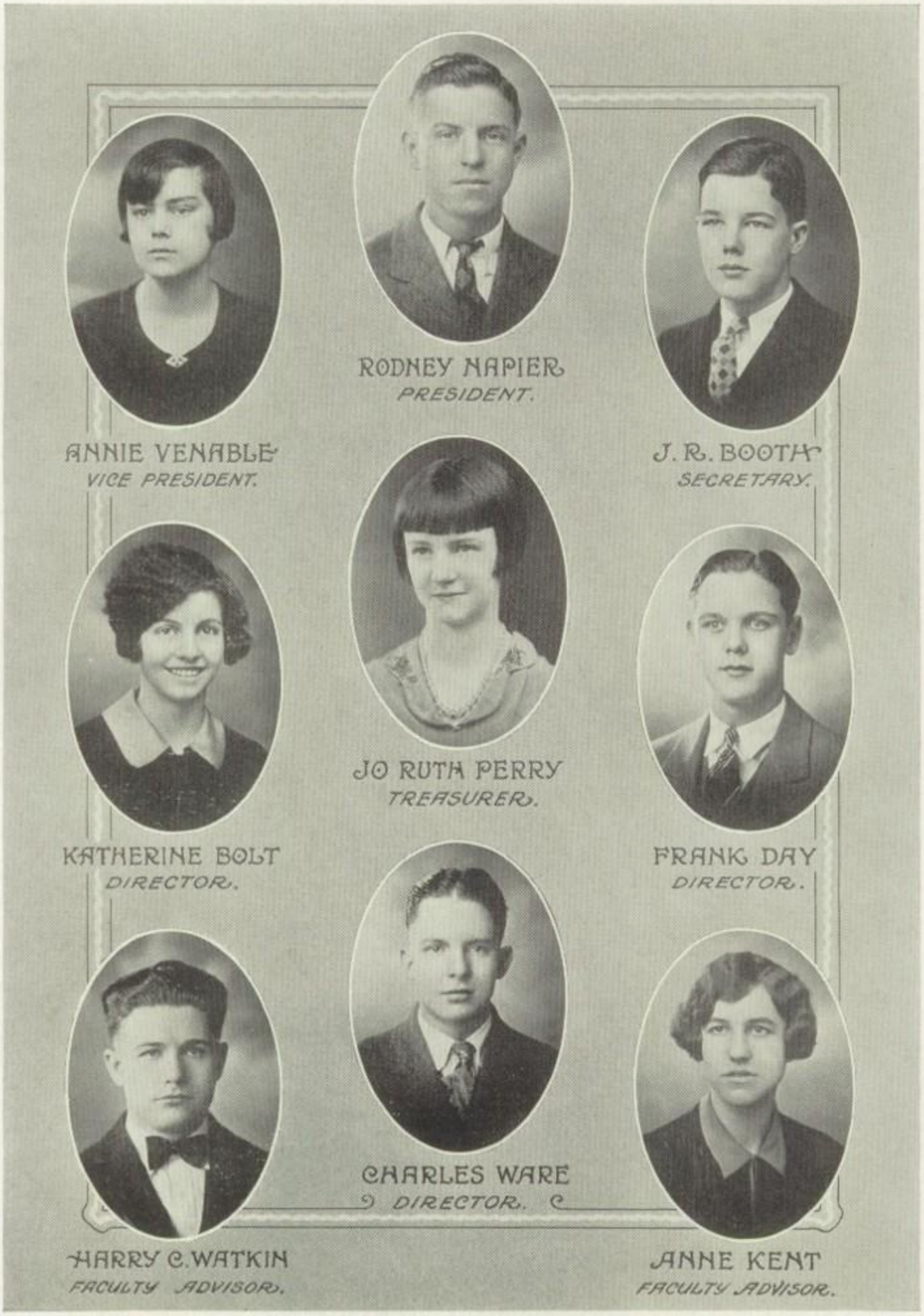

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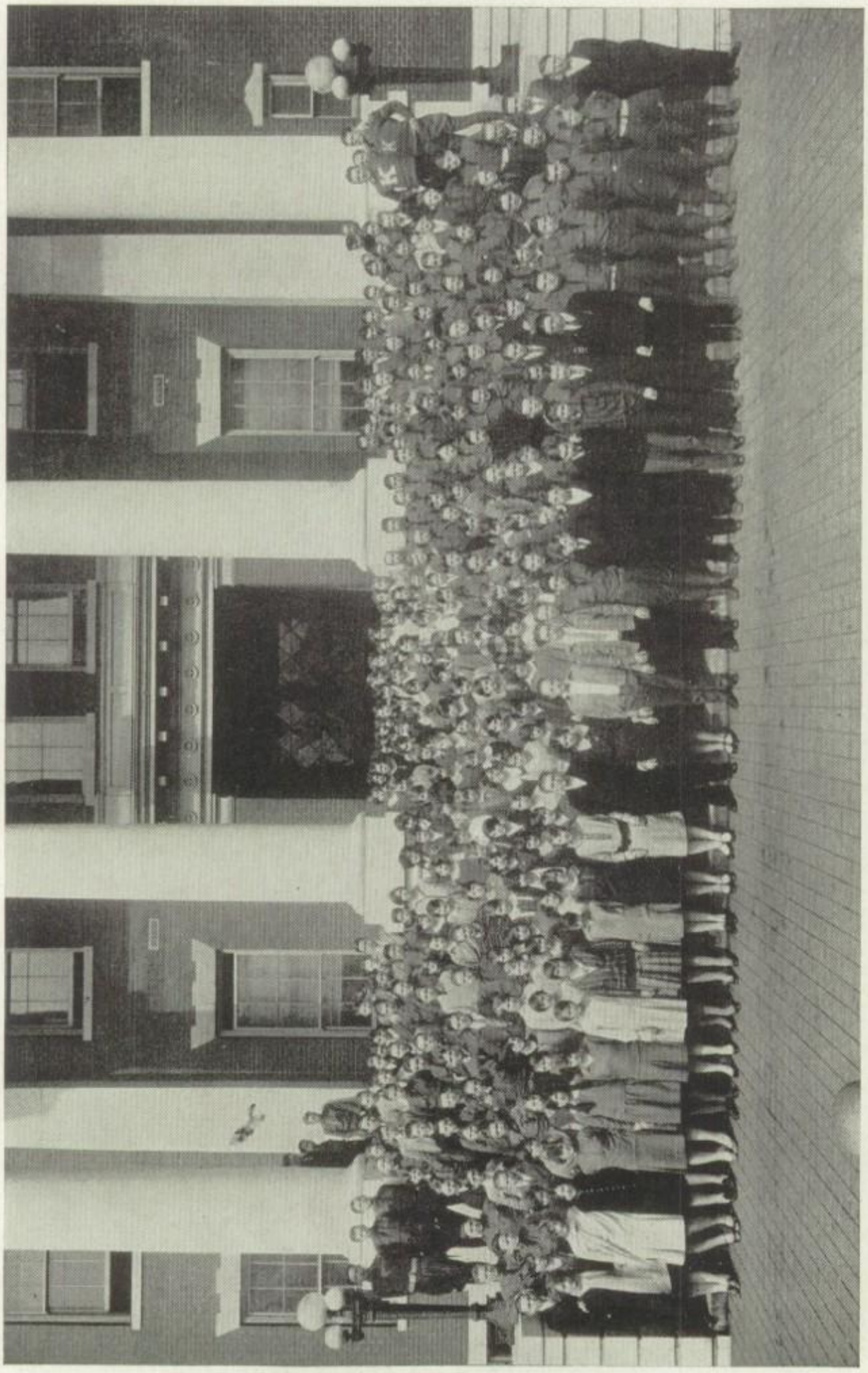

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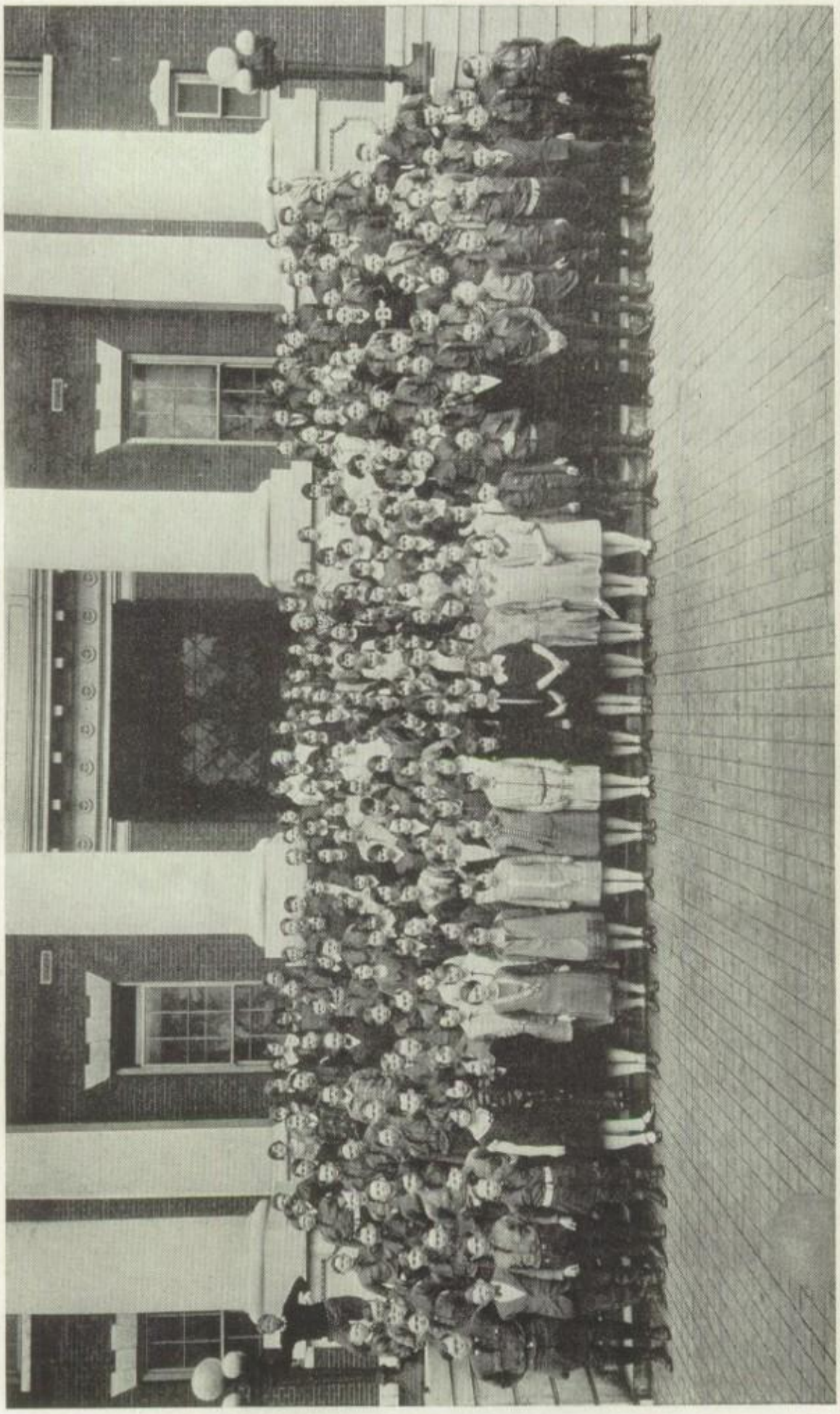

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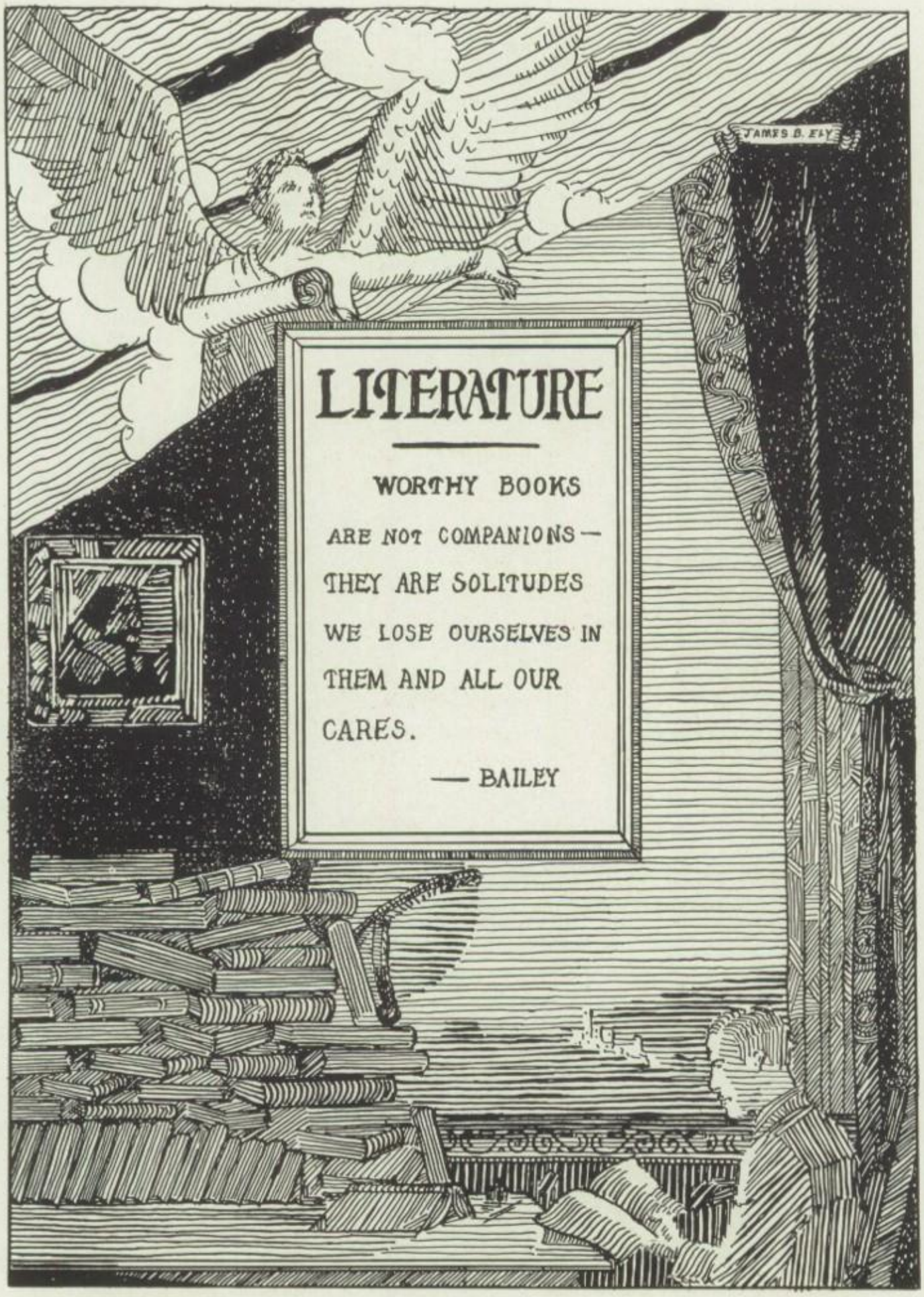
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LITERATURE
WORTHY BOOKS
ARE NOT COMPANIONS—
THEY ARE SOLITUDES
WE LOSE OURSELVES IN
THEM AND ALL OUR
CARES.
— BAILEY

My Book of K. H. S.

When I was young they gave to me
A book that was my pride,
It seemed to beckon one to see
What words there were inside.
Its cover was so bright and gay
I hoped that I should find
Some stories of advent'rous days
To wile away my time.
But when I drew the cover ope
And laid it bare to sight,
I found, as answer to my hopes,
Four pages, blank and white.
And oh, the empty feeling, and
The disappointed pang,
When the delights my fancy planned
Returned from whence they sprang!
And now the cover's not so bright,
It fails to catch the eye,
As when its gleaming blue and white
All dross and dirt defied,
But when I lay the covers back
And gaze upon its leaves,
No matter what its beauty lacks
It never fails to please!
Although four pages, once clean white,
Are soiled with spots and blurs,
Its words are seldom chosen right,
Its grammar, bad or worse;
Yet oh, the thrill of pleasure, and
The joyful ecstasy,
For all the joys my fancy planned
Have there been penned by me!

Joy and Honesty

Sixty years ago when the name of Joy was bestowed upon an innocent bit of humanity, little did the world realize what the result of half a century would be. Miss Joy Taylor, a time-honored spinster of Gunsburg, was anything but a joy, but, if anyone could carry such an unsuitable name gracefully, Miss Taylor could.

Miss Taylor was distinctly distinct! She would place her brass-rimmed spectacles on the upturned tip of her tiny nose and gaze with disgust upon the abbreviated skirts of the younger generation. The reflection of rays cast from her shining cheeks proved to the most unlearned that they had never felt the soothing touch of a powder puff! No, not even mentioning such ungodly creations as vanishing cream or rouge. Indeed, all Gunsburg regarded the name of Joy as anything but joyful.

But despite whatever may be said against or for Miss Taylor, everyone admitted that she was honest. She was honest from the worn-out toe of her "old lady comforts" to the vertex of her subdued gray-streaked locks.

It was April the first, the balmiest of spring mornings, that marked the turning point of Miss Taylor's existence. While she was taking her regular morning walk she came upon what might have been considered in ancient times, a pocketbook. It lay temptingly upon the mud-veneered avenue of the metropolis, Gunsburg. Picking it up gingerly, and carefully striving to touch as few germs as possible, she opened it. And there upon the main thorough-fare of Gunsburg, Joy Taylor almost blasted her sixty years of modesty by gasping audibly. There within the folds of the "would be" pocketbook lay a hundred dollar bill. "Who, what, when, where?" exclaimed the surprised Joy. Her honesty came to her rescue. She must find the owner.

Again and again she published her "find" in the "Gunsburg Scandal," the weekly publication of the city, but no one claimed it. She couldn't eat nor sleep. By night dreams of starving children, dying because of a lost hundred dollars, tormented her. By day visions of a dying mother, uncared for and suffering because of a lost fortune, haunted her. Miss Taylor lost weight, although she had none to spare. Her cheeks became skin-covered bones. Her arms were dangling toothpick appendages.

Then one day, Miss Taylor had an idea. She determined to worry no more and to enjoy her "find." So, with a vision of a long-desired plate of teeth, which she had been unable to buy, she hurried down to the Gunsburg Bank to deposit her troublesome treasure. With bright eyes she handed the money to the banker.

But, alas, the wheel of fortune had been going in reverse! The banker exclaimed in a surprised tone, "Why Miss Taylor, where did you get this money? It is counterfeit!" But his question was not answered, for Miss Joy Taylor of Gunsburg had fainted away and was hearing the twittering of imaginary birds.

—Kathryn Harvey

The Dawning

Misty shades of morn abound,
The Stygian night has passed,
Darkness and gloom enshroud us
'Till the sunrise comes at last.

Comes the dawn with amber light,
What joy and hope it brings,
The harmonious caroling of the birds!
Celestial songs they sing.

The clouds may dim the azure sky,
And heavens be lowering or blue
But what 'ere of night the fates may bring,
There'll be a dawning for you.

When the so-called sunset comes,
When your ship puts out to sea,
'Tis only the wakening of the dawn
Of a vast eternity.

—Paul Lawson.

The Little Gilt Clock

There's a little gilt clock sitting up on the shelf,
And it manages Father Time all by itself.
With a tick, and a tock, and a cheerful ding-dong,
It merrily runs the whole day long.

Just a twist and a turn of its little gilt key,
And its hands start anew as spry as can be.
If I were a little gilt clock on the shelf,
I'd manage the minutes to suit my sweet self.

The Individual

The referee's whistle silenced the throngs packed inside of Lincoln's Gym. "High School this way," he motioned, "Kranton that way", and his arm pointed in the opposite direction. The players spread out, shook hands with their opponents, and encouraged each other with various words. Again the whistle sounded, and the game to decide the state prep championship had begun.

The "Kranton" forward ran in and flipped the tip off to another youth running down the opposite side. A short pass to the center coming down the foul line, a perfect cript; and "Kranton" had scored in four seconds of the opening whistle. On the next play, Whitson of Lincoln, sensing the tip off, leaped in, tipped the ball to Mason, who in turn shot a beautiful goal. Immediately pandemonium broke loose. Cries of praise and exultation, raising a din that would have paid credit to any boiler works, broke forth from the crowded balcony.

At the end of the first half the score stood fifteen all. Bush, Lincoln's coach, called the team into the locker room and proceeded to give them a lecture as only a coach can give. "What we need is more team work and less individualism!" he urged. "If you boys would forget that your girl is watching you, and quit trying to win the game all by yourself, I could use the fifth team the rest of the time."

But this speech had little effect on the score, although it did bring about better team work. The other coach must have used about the same words.

With three minutes to go and the score knotted at twenty all, a whistle sounded on Lincoln's side lines, and a purple and white clad youth ran out and reported. "Dooly for Whitson" called the referee. Again the whistle sounded and the game proceeded. Dooly's entrance into the game had caused wide spread lamentation in the balcony. Ever since he had entered high school and bought his elevator ticket, Dooly had been individual. That he knew nothing of passing, or of teamwork, and played only for personal glory, was apparent to everyone except himself.

On this night it was a different Dooly that took his place on the court. Two years of bench warming had awakened him, and he had secretly resolved to make up for it. So far he had succeeded. Darting here and there he managed to break up several passes, as well as to pass often and accurately to his team mates.

With one minute to go, Lincoln received the ball off-side, and with a three man pass began to take it up the floor. Dribbling the ball low down he managed to get by the first defense man. A perfect reverse and he was by the last guard; the goal loomed up before him. The shot was an easy one, giving him an opportunity to shoot a certain goal. To make it would mean the state championship and glory for himself.

But here the old Dooly faded and the new Dooly began. Out of the corner of his eye he saw Paul Carter, the center, coming up the foul line. He executed a fake at the goal and the guard leaped up to ward it off. Instead Dooly passed to Paul.

It was a happy team that gathered in the locker room shortly afterward. Not only had they won the state championship, but Dooly had won over himself. He had conquered that thing which helps to hold the world back—*Individualism.*

—James Forrest Cagle.

Gypsy Life

The tinkle of the tambourine
Is heard beyond the fort.
Ho now, bow down: the gypsy queen
Is holding gypsy court.

The stern faced men and wrinkled hags
Raise voice in merry songs.
And dancing maids in whirling rags—
All hail the vagabonds!

Now to sing and now to dine
Now sent by cool calm night
To slumber 'neath a whisp'ring pine,
The silver moon for light.

Then up with the dawn—off by field and pond,
Ah—here's to the life of the vagabond!

Look Ahead

Look ahead, the past is but dimly seen,
'Tis only a memory that has been.
Failures are spurs to greater things;
Hope lives for success the future brings.

Look ahead, you have passed the weary way,
Tomorrow, perchance, may bring a fairer day.
Fret not over trifles of the past;
Think only of those things that last.

Look ahead, there are flowers along your way,
Wherever your wandering feet may stray.
Lift your eyes to the heights of heaven's blue;
Let you heart reach out to things that are true.

Look ahead, your footprints are fading fast,
In the fury of life's fierce blast.
Yet if you walk erect on the path ahead,
Others will follow where your steps have led.

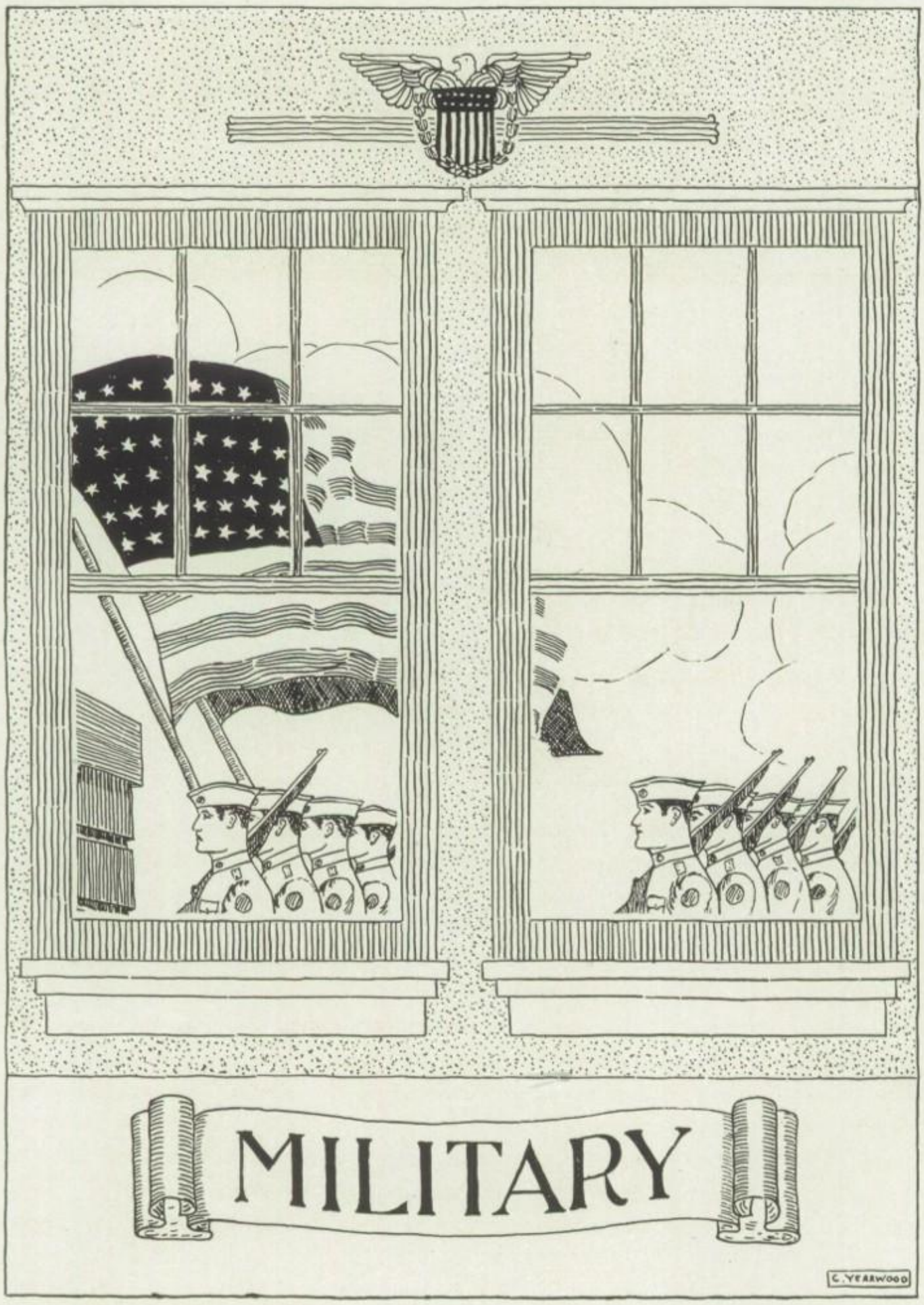
—Ruth Hallyburton.

This year another Senior Class passes triumphantly over the threshold of our high school as we, the graduates of '27, take our leave. With the preparation of four years in this institution behind us, and with the reward of these struggles at our feet, we wave a fond farewell to the walls, wherein are moulded the citizens of tomorrow. And our prayers, as each turns his face toward the future development of his life, at this, its actual commencement, are for our own success and for that of the succeeding classes who are to follow the path which we have traveled and who are to encounter experiences confronting Seniors.

It is with the deepest sincerity that the class of '27 wishes for these students an ultimate success. In this world of deceiving appearances men look upon success with eager eyes and striving hearts. But, when they have reached it, because they approached without happiness, it has often been a mirage, fading away through the dim years.

It matters not whether this reference to success and happiness is applied here to us, as Seniors, or to any other graduate of Knoxville High School, since all of them, in resting upon a common intellectual basis, are being given mutual consideration. Although money and power hold their important places in modern existence, material success alone means nothing. True and complete success embodies happiness and contentment, for, where happiness is absent, life becomes void of its purpose and approaches despondency. Marble halls and golden riches wane in their lustre as the contentment of their possessors ebbs gradually away. It is thus through the adoption of a career carrying with it an opportunity for the individual to incorporate in his life those uplifting and character developing friendships and occupations, which will afford him perpetual happiness, that he will finally attain complete success. May the Seniors of today and tomorrow alike realize as they pursue their future lives the significance of the fact that a complete success must be accompanied by happiness!

"The Editor"



MILITARY

MAJOR HARRY WALTER STEPHENSON

Major Stephenson was born in Nebraska and appointed to the United States Naval Academy while attending Lincoln High School. He graduated from the Naval Academy in 1909 and transferred to the army as a lieutenant of coast artillery. While at the Academy he was a member of several athletic teams and won the lightweight Boxing Championship, held the academy record in the pole vault and was captain and shooting member of the Naval Academy Rifle Team in the National Matches of 1908.

Major Stephenson went overseas in command of a Battalion of heavy artillery and was promoted to the grade of Lieutenant Colonel while in France. After the Armistice he was commandant of the American Prison for Combat Troops and German Prisoners of War Camp at St. Sulpice; Commanding officer of camp Post Foye, Brest; a member of the Haskell Mission of Armenia during the winter of 1919-1920; Executive officer of the American Base, Antwerp, during the Olympic Games of 1920.

He was a member of coast Artillery Rifle Team in the National Matches of 1921 and was assigned to duty as Professor of Military Science and Tactics of the Knoxville Public Schools in 1923.

This is the Major's fourth year at the High School. It is through his efforts that Knoxville High School has the distinction of being one of the best Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps in the South.

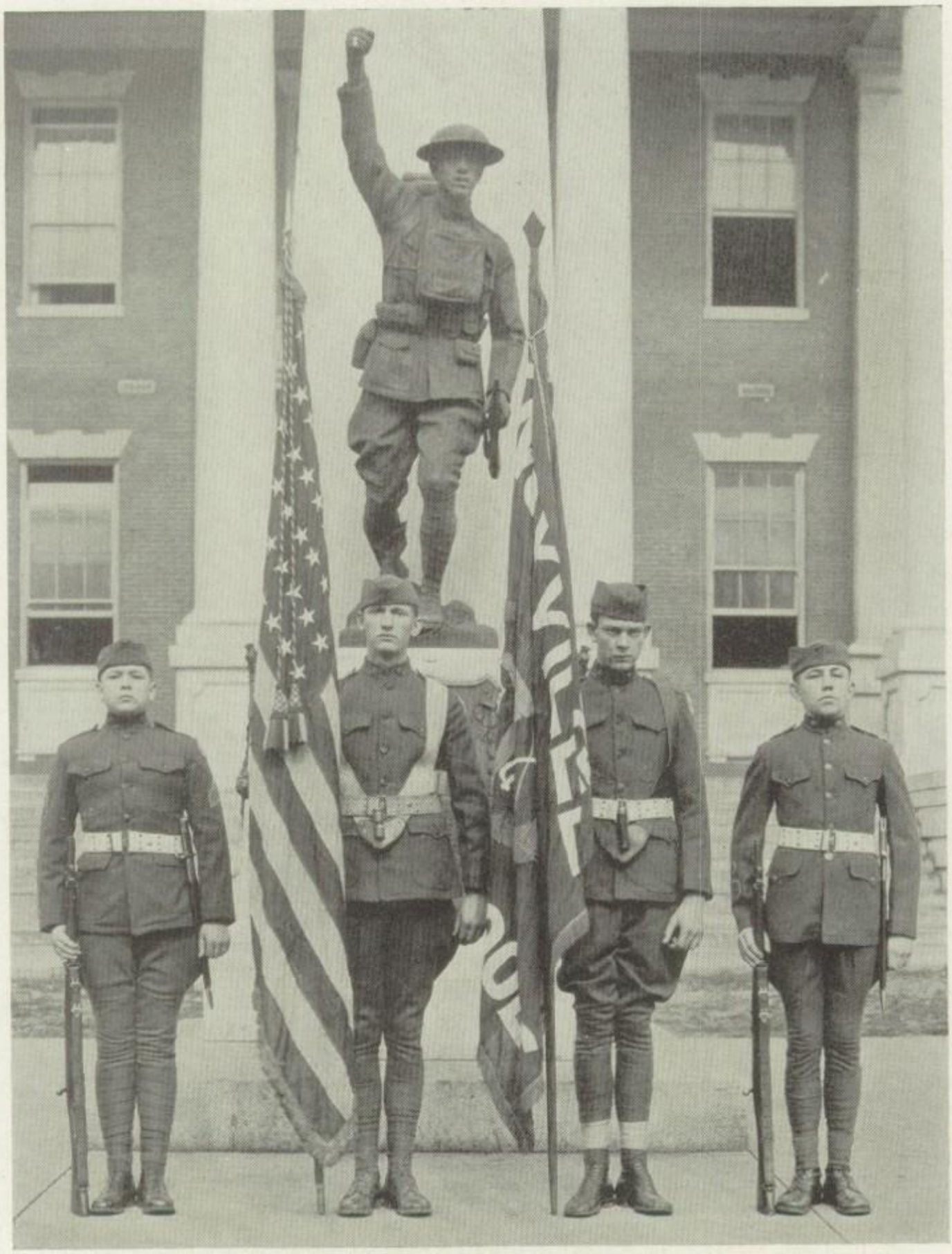
SERGEANT WILLIAM A. PRATT

Sergeant Pratt's military career began in 1910 when he enlisted in the U. S. Army and was assigned to duty with the 18th Infantry at Columbus, Ohio.

When Sergeant Pratt was with a detachment detailed in 1911 to the Mexican Border, he began a military career which has been very interesting. Twice he was on the "border," and during the World War, he was with the United States Army expedition in China. While there, he served as a Sergeant of American Police. He returned to the United States in 1919, and entered the preliminaries of the International Rifle Match, which was fired during the Olympic Games at Antwerp, Belgium, in 1920. However, he was eliminated in the semi-finals fired at Camp Quantico, Virginia. He was detailed as a Sergeant Instructor in the R. O. T. C. Battalion of Knoxville High School in 1920.

For seven years Sergeant Pratt has been with K. H. S. He is well liked by the Cadets, and has coached a number of championship R. O. T. C. Rifle Teams for this school.

Sgt. W. A. Pratt.



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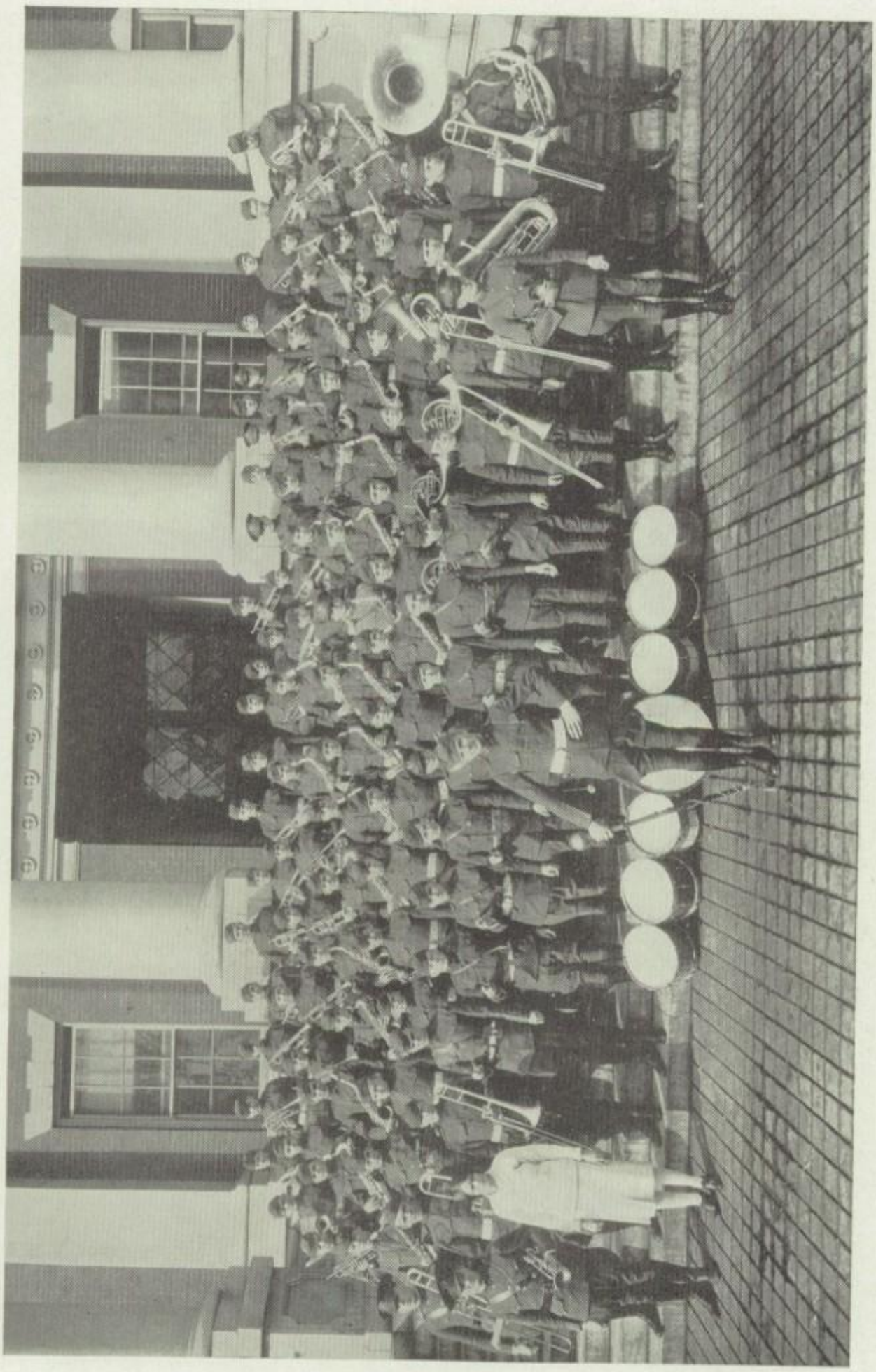

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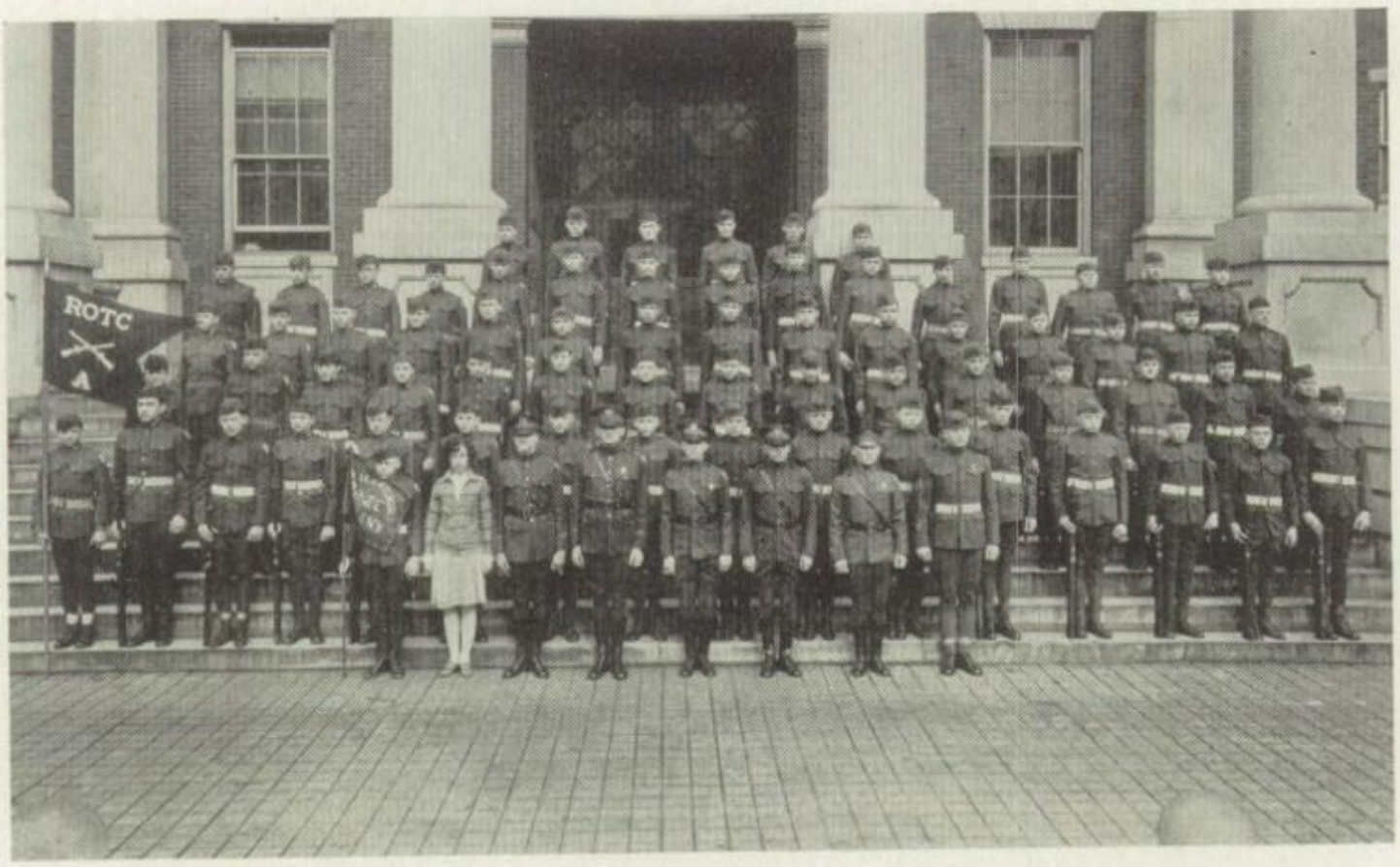
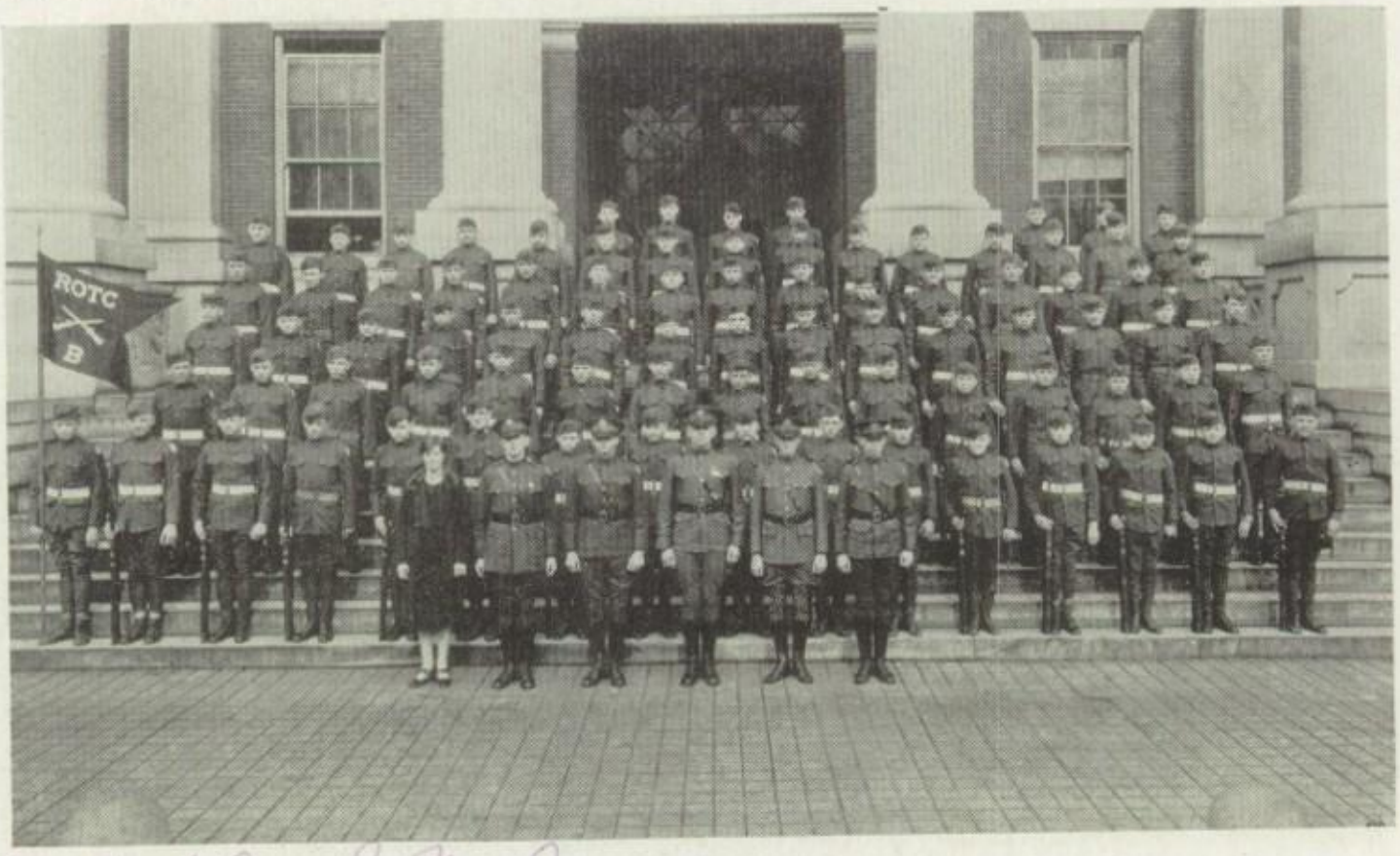


COMPANY "A"

THOMAS PARHAM.....*Captain*
PAUL DENTON.....*1st. Lieut.*
WALTER JOHNSON.....*2nd. Lieut.*
AUBREY NEEDHAM.....*2nd. Lieut.*
PRENTISS REEVES.....*2nd. Lieut.*
ORA HANKAL.....*Sponsor*



Cadet Capt. Jas. L. McCoy

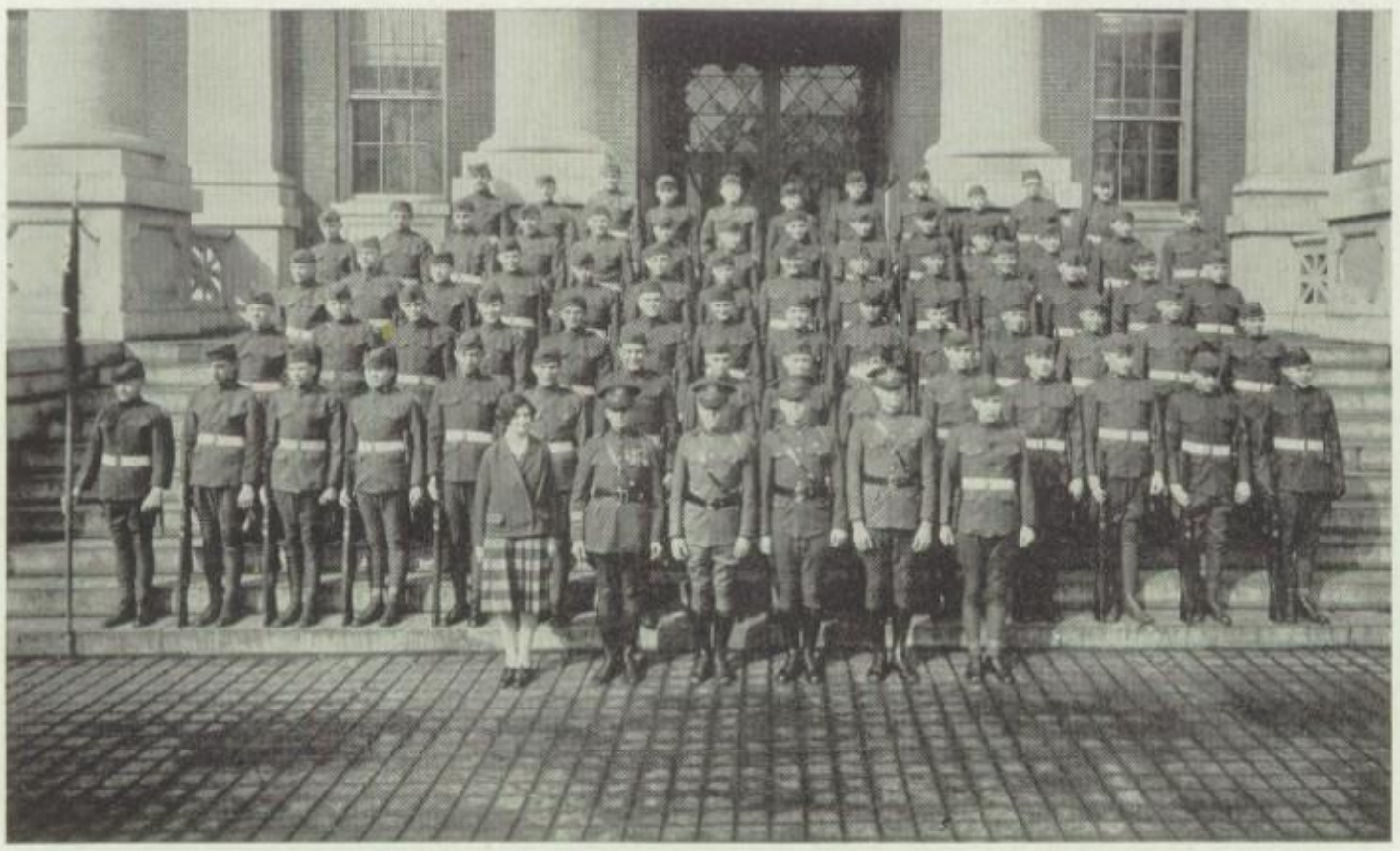
COMPANY "B"

JAMES McCOY.....*Captain*
WILLIAM BLACKWELL.....*1st. Lieut.*
CHARLES KOHLHASE.....*2nd. Lieut.*
GEORGE MONROE.....*2nd. Lieut.*
CHARLES SEYMOUR.....*2nd. Lieut.*
SARAH FRANCES LAVIN.....*Sponsor*

Clarence Davis

COMPANY "C"

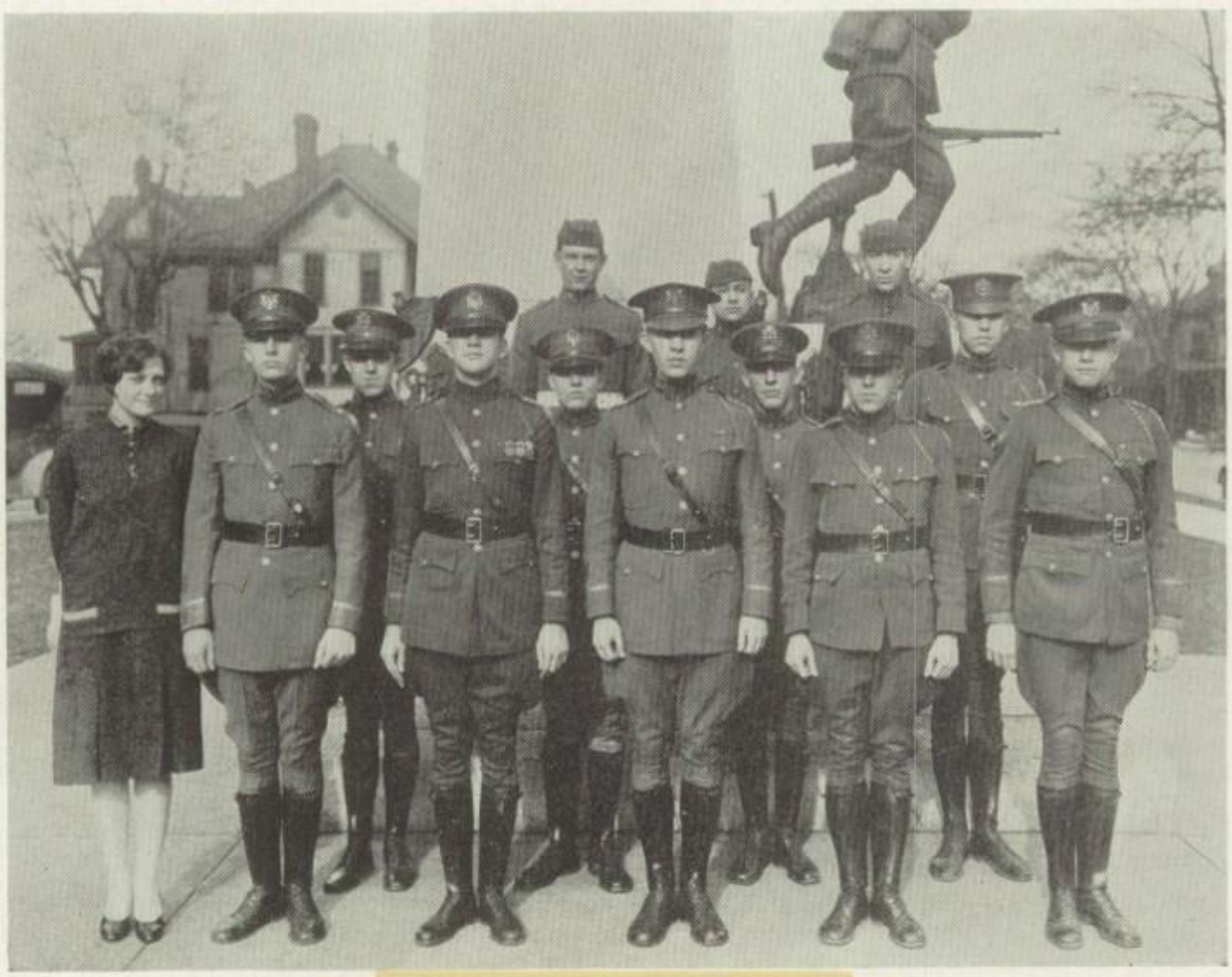
Clarence Davis	*Captain*	Wilbur Roos	*2nd. Lieut.*
James Heflin	*1st. Lieut.*	William Brown	*2nd. Lieut.*
William Parker	*2nd. Lieut.*	Mary Jeanne Duckwall	*Sponsor*



COMPANY "D"

Leslie McKeehan	*Captain*	Lynn Snyder	*2nd. Lieut.*
Lawrence Dysart	*1st. Lieut.*	Emmett McClurkan	*2nd. Lieut.*
Jack Walker	*2nd. Lieut.*	Evelyn Scott	*Sponsor*

OFFICERS' CLUB



STAFF

R. O. T. C. RIFLE TEAM

Coach - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - SERGEANT WILLIAM A. PRATT

Captain - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - CADET CAPTAIN MILLARD LAMONS

Manager - - - - - - - - - CADET FIRST LIEUTENANT FRANK MOORE

LETTERMEN

SAM LOGAN
RICHARD GRAY
ROBERT BRANDAU
JOHNIE COX
PAUL DENTON
HUBERT CARLOCK
JACK BELSINGER
AUBREY NEEDHAM
RALPH CULVAHOUSE
FRED HULL

THE UNITED STATES RESERVE OFFICERS TRAINING CORPS

The R. O. T. C. institution was established in Knoxville High School in 1919, with Major H. M. Estes in command. Major Estes was transferred after four years of service here, and Major H. W. Stephenson took command. Three times since its organization, in 1921, 1925, and 1926, this unit of the R. O. T. C. has won the distinction of being the Honor High School of the Fourth Corps Area of the United States of America.

LET'S GO - HIGH SCHOOL.

8. 14 A.M.

GREAT FEAT!

SOUR PICKLE.

THREE GOATS.

LOOK AT US!

ART, WISDOM & HUMOR.

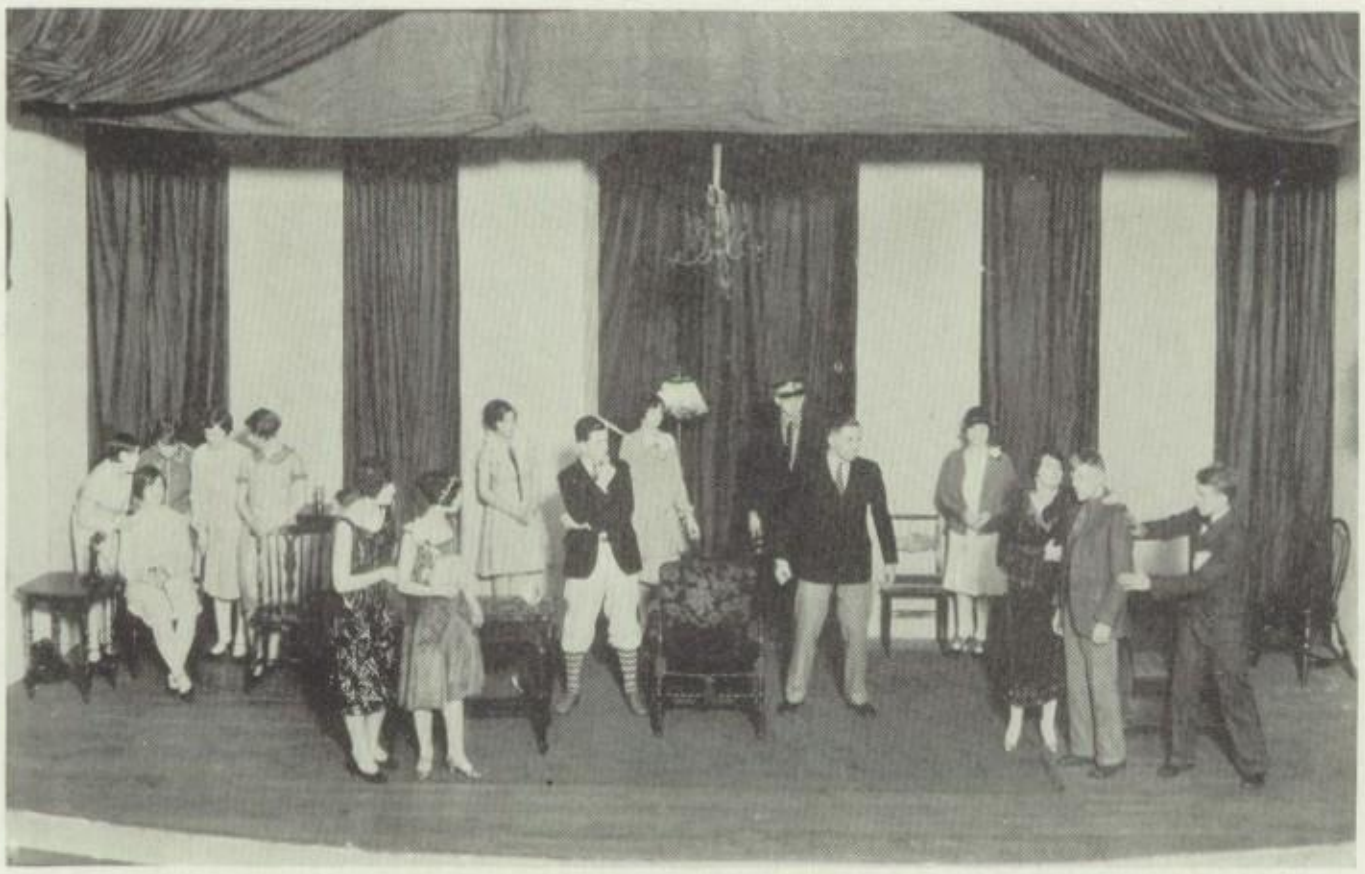
THREE'S A CROWD.

SNAPSHOTS

Dramatics

PRINCIPAL CHARACTERS
OF
"TWELFTH NIGHT"

Maria	Elizabeth Strayer
Viola	Agnes Jones
Olivia	Helene Hudson
Duke Orsino	Frank Wilson
Malvolio	Vivian Slatery
Sir Toby Belch	John Hightower
Sir Andrew Aguecheek	James Baird
Fabian	Robert Johnston
Sebastian	Walter Johnson
Valentine	Boyd Smith
Curio	Roy Babb
The Friar	Shannon Hollingsworth



Junior Class Play

"The Whole Town's Talking," a farce in three acts by John Emerson and Anita Loos, was presented by the Junior Class on January 28.

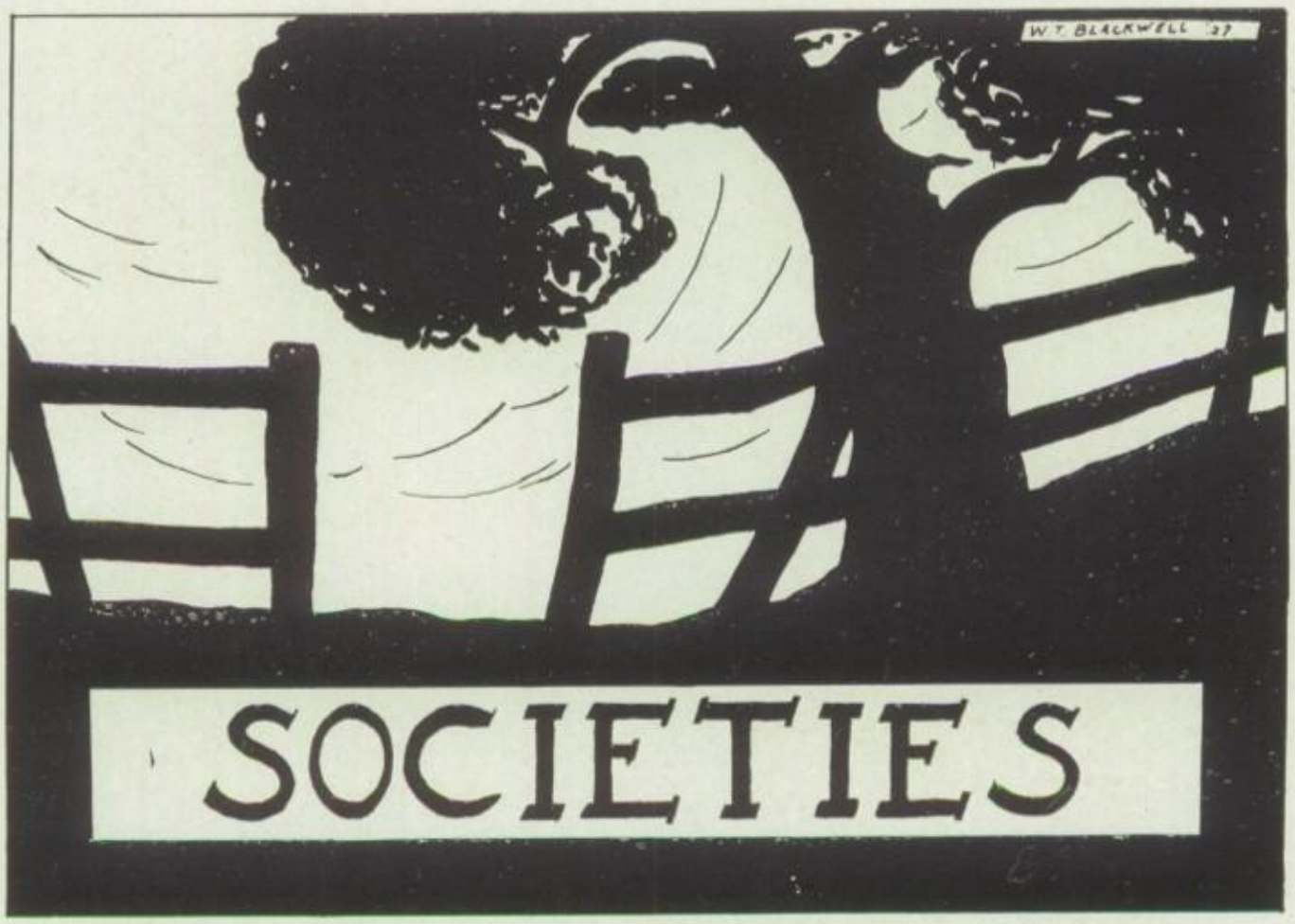
Henry Simmons, a paint manufacturer, has made up his mind to marry his daughter to his junior partner, Chester Binney, a man who has no attraction whatever to women. He has the idea that every woman would like to get that man whom every other woman wants. Hence, he conceives the idea of inventing a few love affairs for his partner. A motion picture star is decided on as the one with whom Binney has had this love affair, and the story is allowed to leak out.

Soon "The Whole Town's Talking", and all the girls, Simmons' daughter included, fall in love with Binney. However, when the moving picture star appears on the scene, accompanied by her fiance, who happens to be a prize fighter, a series of complications ensue.

The cast was: Henry Simmons, Chester Haworth; Harriet Simmons, his wife, Anne Brakebill; Ethel Simmons, their daughter, Mary Moses; Chester Binney, Simmons' partner, William Pollard; Letty Lythe, a motion picture star, Mary Pride Epperson; Donald Swift, motion picture director, Charles Kohlhase; Roger Shields, a Chicago young blood, Jack Walker; Lila Wilson, Barbara Lou Carden; Sally Otis, Helen Dykes; Annie, a maid, Robbie Tedford; Sadie Bloom, Mary Hancock; Taxi Driver, Rodney Napier.

1927 "JOYLAND"

THE "MIKADO"—GLEE CLUB OPERETTA



The Value of Student Societies

Misinterpretation of the value of high school organizations has been too prevalent during the past among the students who are not members of the societies represented here. Fortunately, however, each year has witnessed an increased membership in this important department of our school. Every student in Knoxville High School should be affiliated with some phase of school life beside his regular studies. With the great number and the variety of organizations in this school it is possible for each attendant to find some club that will interest him. The value of the training received in outside activities cannot be over-emphasized. The contact with other members of the club makes the student sociable, dependable, and capable to a greater degree than the contact with classmates in a formal classroom could ever do. In view of the fact that these student organizations can gain recognition only with a constructive program under the sponsorship of competent members of the faculty, there are great opportunities for further development of the subjects taught in our school through the societies.

The National Honor Society

The National Honor Society is recognized as one of the outstanding activities of Knoxville High School.

The membership, which is limited to a small percentage of the Junior and Senior Classes, is elected by a council of teachers who judge the students on scholarship, character, leadership and service. Mrs. Darnall is the faculty sponsor of the organization.

This year, for the first time in the history of the school, K. H. S. has a handbook, which was published by members of the National Honor Society.

Officers of the National Honor Society for this year are:

First Term		Second Term
Katherine McDonald	*President*	Margaret Thornton
Ben Gaston	*Vice-President*	Charles Gouffon
Katherine Ferris	*Secretary*	Jessie Dempster
Robert Brown	*Treasurer*	Charles Kohlhase

The National Honor Society

SENIOR MEMBERS

Floyd Badgett
James Baird
Leland Barbee
Clara Jean Beaman
Greta Biddle
Ruth Bourne
Evaleen Brooks
Madeline Brooks
Robert Brown
William Brown
Thomas Byrd
Harvey Calloway
Helen Cardwell
Helen Clift
Lawrence Dysart
Katherine Ferris
Helen Gallaher
Ben Gaston
Charles Gouffon
Eleanor Hacker
Mary Vivian Haines
Ruth Hallyburton
Katherine Harvey
John Hightower
Helene Hudson
Catherine Hughes
Rena Mae Jeffries
Agnes Jones
Katherine Jones
Anna Keller
Paul Lawson
Virginia Lee
Catherine McDonald
Merrill Minskey
Margaret Mitchell
Lucile Moore
Avelyn Morris
Louise Nance
Rose Nius
Agnes O'Connor
Anna Mae Perry
George Smith
Verna Sparks
Margaret Stark
Elizabeth Strayer
Annette Thomas
Margaret Thornton
Helen Tipton
Crawford Turner
Theodore Turner
Eleanor Williams
Mary Wood

Carl Yearwood

JUNIOR MEMBERS

J. R. Booth
Mary Carmack
Jessie Dempster
Helen Dykes
Edith Elmore
Mary Elizabeth Johnson
Charles Kohlhase
Robert Money
James Ogden
Arpie Spenser
Mary Stafford
Annie Venable

The Girl Reserve Club

The Student Girl Reserve Club, which is a branch organization of the Young Women's Christian Association, has an active membership of more than forty high school girls. Meetings are held every other Wednesday afternoon in the Girl Reserve Room at the Y. W. C. A. building.

The "Faculty Frolic" was one of the outstanding events of the fall term. An Easter Fashion Revue was the means by which money was raised to send delegates to the Girl Reserve Conference.

The aim of the club is to develop its members spiritually, physically and mentally.

The officers are:

Greta Biddle.....*President*
Margaret Donahue.....*Vice-President*
Imogene Matlock.....*Treasurer*
Claire Kelly.....*Secretary*
Kitty Lee Trainum.....*Chaplain*

Miss Katherine Boies and Miss Lucy Black are advisers; Miss Ada Markwood is faculty adviser, and Miss Louise Sale is Girl Reserve Secretary.

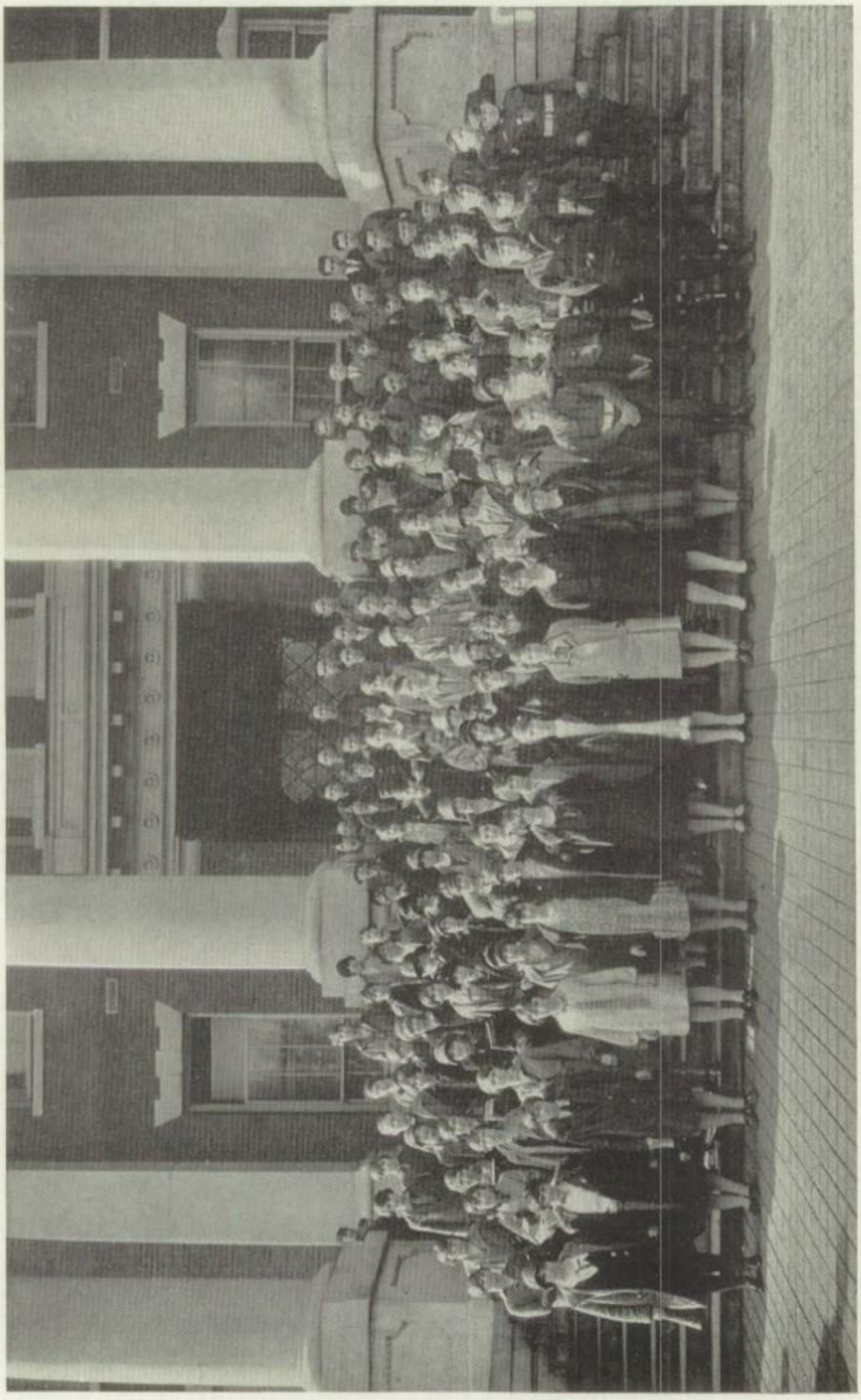
The Hi-Y Club

The Knoxville High School Hi-Y Club has had a very successful year under the supervision of Mr. M. A. Wilson. It is one of the most popular school activities, and this year it has had the largest membership in its history. The purpose of the club is "to create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character."

During the spring term two short Easter plays were planned.

The officers of the club were:

First Term		Second Term
Frank Wilson	*President*	Charles Rising
Robert Ruwe	*Vice-President*	Robert Johnston
Rodney Napier	*Secretary*	Lamar Rankin
Charles Rising	*Treasurer*	William Blackwell



AUDUBON SOCIETY

The Sketch Club

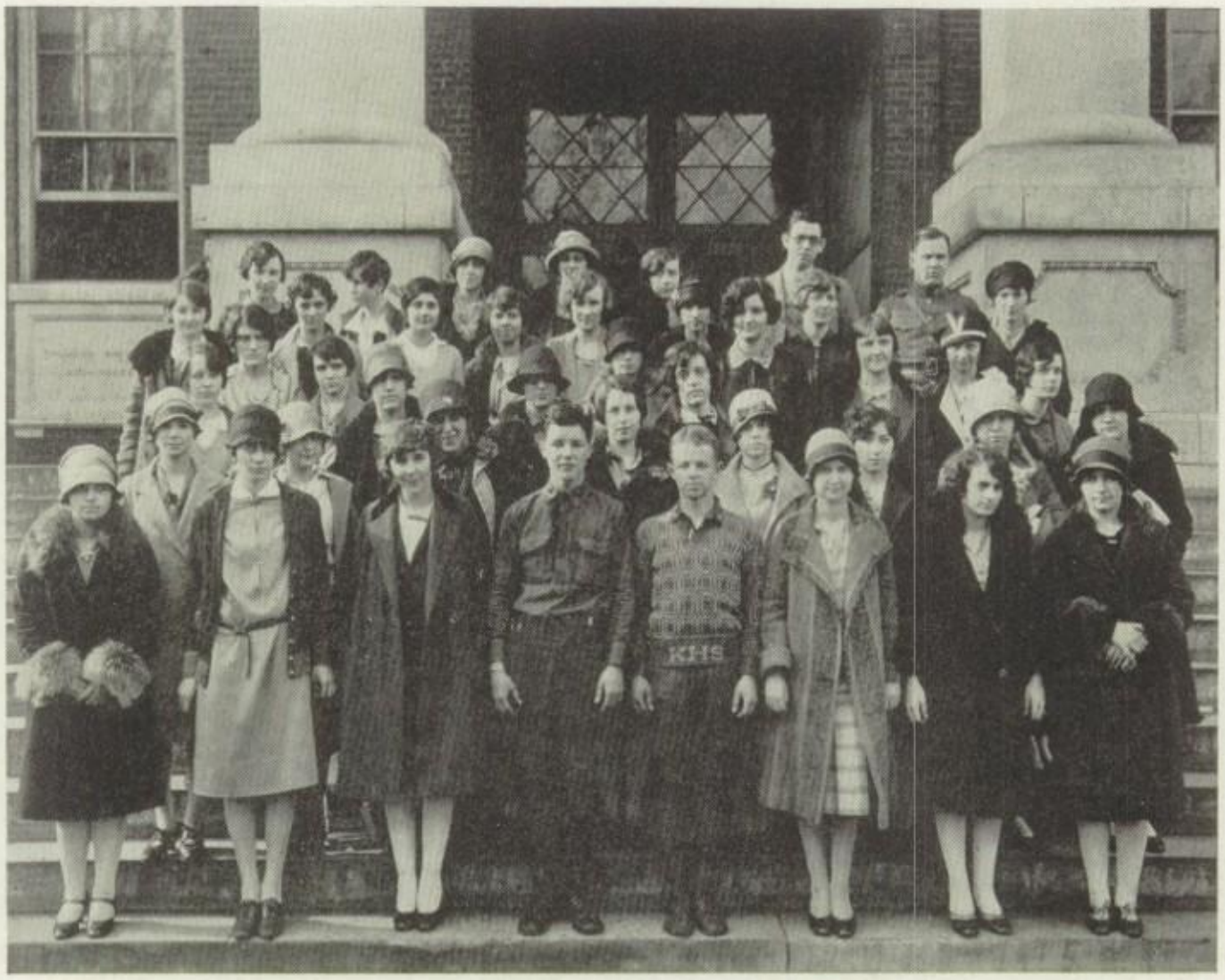
The Sketch Club, which was organized for the purpose of interesting students in art, has some very talented members.

Meetings are held every Thursday afternoon, and, in good weather, trips are made into the country so that outdoor sketching may be enjoyed.

The officers of the Sketch Club are:

Hilda Loftis.....*President*
Ed Hurst.....*Vice-President*
Anna Hooper.....*Secretary and Treasurer*
Mary Kate Howell.....*Monitor*

Miss Grainger is the faculty adviser.



The French Club

The French Club has developed rapidly and now boasts of a large membership. Attractive programs are planned for the meetings, which are held every other Tuesday. The purpose of this club is to increase interest in the study of French, and any French student is eligible for membership.

This year's officers are:

First Term		Second Term
Margaret Thornton	*President*	J. R. Booth
Elizabeth Strayer	*Vice-President*	Katherine Ferris
Elizabeth Deaderick	*Sec. and Treas.*	Elizabeth Deaderick
Anne Watson	*Chairman Program Com.*	Mary Wood

Miss Cravens is the faculty adviser.

Lope De Vega Club

(SPANISH CLUB)

BRUCE FOSTER - *President*

VIRGINIA BOOTH - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Vice-President*

RUTH GODDARD - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Sec.-Treas.*

JO RUTH PERRY - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Reporter*

MISS AIKEN - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Faculty Adviser*

PURPOSE: To celebrate Spanish fiestas and to learn how the Spaniards entertain themselves.

The Science Club

The Knoxville High School Science Club, organized in 1926, is composed of two divisions: Chemistry and Physics. Membership in the club is open to pupils in all departments of the school.

The purposes of the club are to promote the interest of those pupils who are interested in Science, and to afford an opportunity for self-expression along scientific lines.

The club meets twice a month, and interesting talks and experiments are enjoyed by the members.

The officers are:

GEO. B. SMITH - *President*

JAS. OGDEN - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *President of Chemistry Division*

WISTON WRIGHT - - - - - - - - - - - - *President of Physics Division*

RALPH CULVAHOUSE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Secretary*

IVAN ANDES - *Treasurer*

Mr. Herndon is the faculty adviser.

The Home Economics Club

A new club in K. H. S. this year is the Home Economics Club, which was organized to teach girls more details in the art of home making than are taught in the regular Home Economics Department.

The members of the club have been especially interested in handcraft. Many beautiful lampshades and baskets have been made at these meetings.

The officers of the club are:

HELEN RUSSELL - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *President*

AGNES SAYNE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Vice-President*

HAZEL MCCLOUD - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Vice-President*

ELOISE BROWN - - - - - - - - - - *Secretary-Treasurer*

Miss Reagan is the faculty adviser of the club.

The Dramatic Club

The Dramatic Club, one of the most popular organizations in K. H. S., affords excellent opportunity for the development of dramatic ability. Each term try-outs are held and a limited number of talented students are admitted to membership in the club.

During the fall term, three one-act plays, "Two Crooks and a Lady", "Joint Owners in Spain", "Aria da Capo", were presented before a large and appreciative audience.

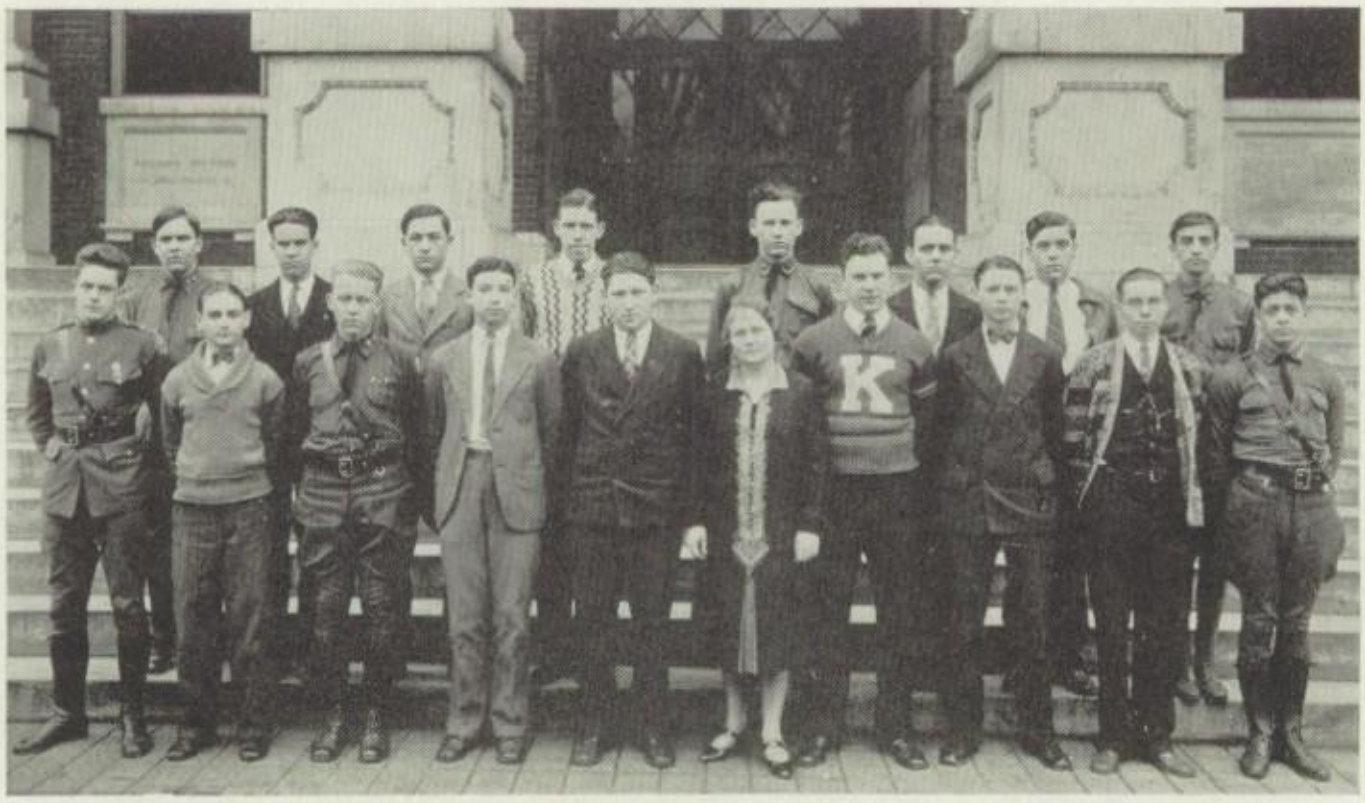
Short plays were also presented in chapel before Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The officers of the club are:

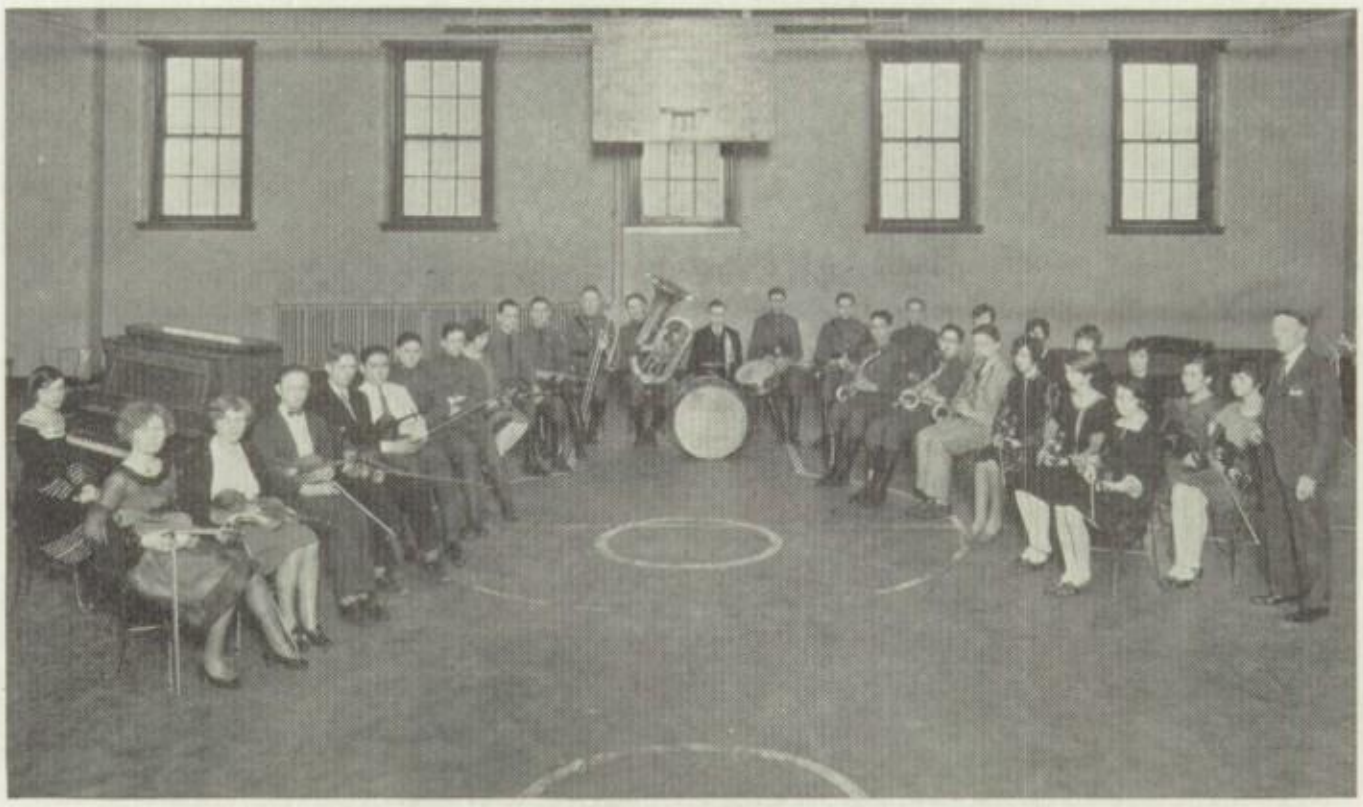
First Term		Second Term
Don Paine	*President*	Elbert Kelly
Elizabeth Deaderick	*Vice-President*	Clara Jean Beaman
Ruth Hallyburton	*Secretary*	Shannon Hollingsworth
Elbert Kelly	*Treasurer*	Martha Sanford

Miss Waddle is faculty sponsor of the club.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB



BOYS' GLEE CLUB



ORCHESTRA

Musical Organizations

Knoxville High School is very proud of its musical organizations. In the spring, under the direction of Miss Minnie Stensland, the Chorus presented a beautiful Japanese operetta. The Boys' Glee Club and the Girls' Glee Club are made up of the best voices in the school, and when combined they form the Chorus.

The Orchestra, directed by Mr. Chas. A. Garratt shows great improvement this year. The most difficult music is rendered skillfully and great appreciation has been manifested at each appearance of this organization.

CHORUS

STUDENT COUNCIL AND GROUP PRESIDENTS

The Student Council

Student government in Knoxville High School was first started in November 1926, when a student council was elected by the group presidents and the students.

The council, composed of eighteen members selected from the three classes, tries to solve the problems of the school and to bring about better co-operation between the faculty and the students.

The council is divided into four departments, namely: The Department of Law, The Department of Public Safety, The Department of Finance, and The Department of Public Service.

Mr. Turley is the faculty adviser for the council.

The officers are:

RUTH HALLYBURTON - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *President*
CLYDE BUTLER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Vice-President*
CHARLES KOHLHASE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Secretary*
CHESTER HAWORTH - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Treasurer*

SENIOR MEMBERS

GRETA BIDDLE
RUTH HALLYBURTON
HELENE HUDSON
MARGARET MITCHELL
MARY WOOD
CLYDE BUTLER
RAY COLLINS
CHARLES KERR
ROBT. ARMSTRONG
ARCHIE MONROE

JUNIOR MEMBERS

CHARLES KOHLHASE
CHESTER HAWORTH
SAM ATKIN
BARBARA LOU CARDEN
BETTY LYNN HOSKINS
JUANITA MAXEY

SOPHOMORE MEMBERS

WILLIAM GRIM
CHRISTINE BURNS

COMMERCIAL CLUB

The Blue and White

A new staff room, a more efficient staff organization, a greater realization of the Blue and White ideal of printing all the worth while news—these are some of the most important mile posts along the Blue and White's road of progress in its fifth year of publication. There has also been a marked improvement in the writing of the paper this year, due, doubtless to the fact that all staff members had instruction in newswriting before they were added to the Blue and White.

This year the Blue and White endeavored constantly to fulfil this four-fold purpose: to bring all the worth while news written as news should be, so as to have the best school newspaper possible; to bring the school and parents into closer relationship; to give practical newspaper experience to members of the staff; to support High School organizations and activities, thus helping to create a better school spirit. Moreover the Blue and White has given its support to a number of community projects, most prominent among them being the "Know Knoxville" campaign.

Much credit is due the individual members of the staff for their consistent, well directed efforts and the willingness of each one to submerge his personal interests in the interests of the group. It is impossible to say what one member of the Blue and White Staff has done, for all have done constructive work. Since the paper's organization five years ago, Mr. C. V. Hackney has been director of its publication.

The staff:

JOHN HIGHTOWER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Editor in Chief*

DEPARTMENT OF NEWS

RUTH HALLYBURTON - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *News Editor*
JANE SUTTON, KATHERINE HUGHES, AMIE LOUISE ARNOTT - - - *Assistant News Editors*
BARBARA MOORE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Copy Reader*

DEPARTMENTAL EDITORS

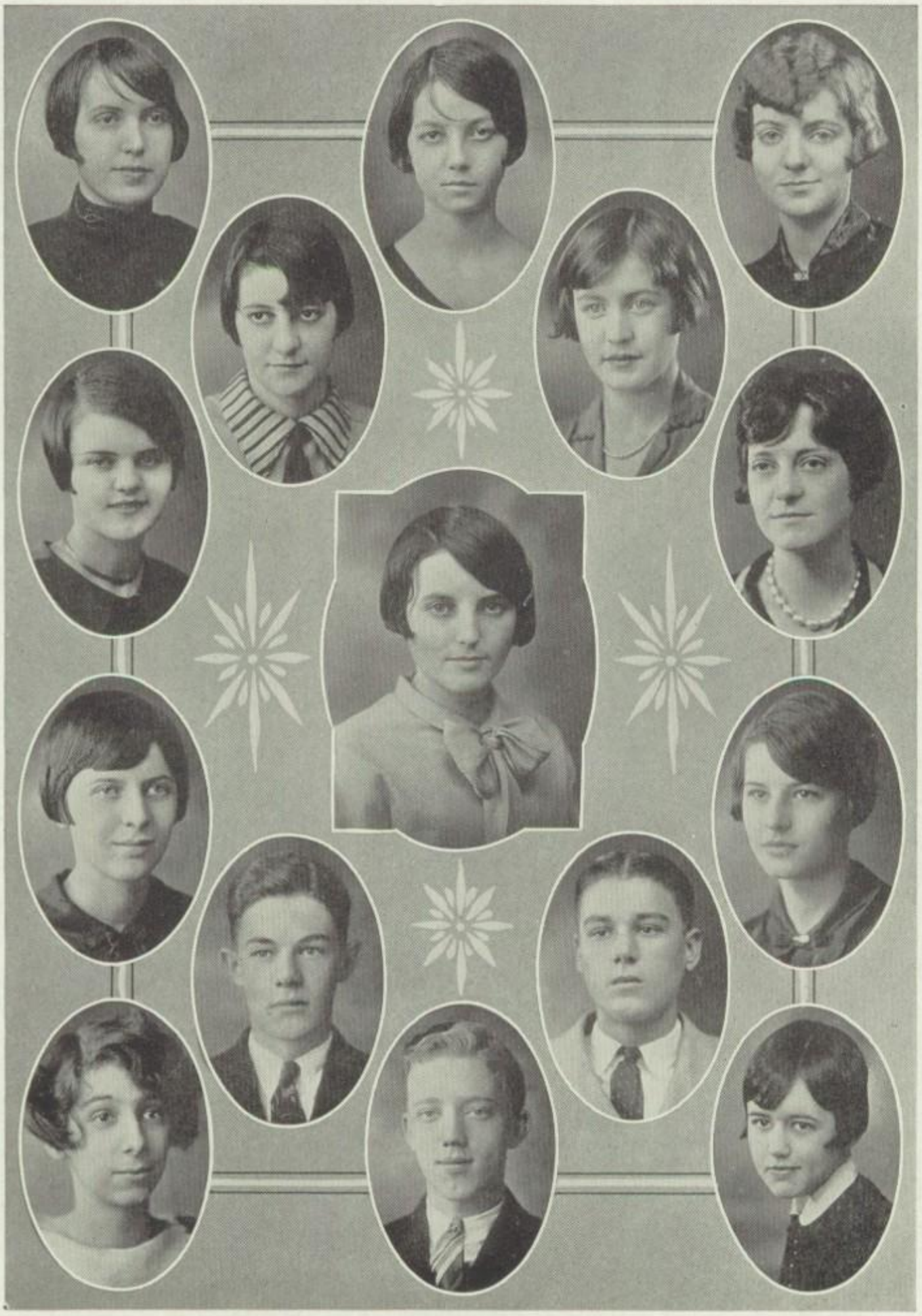
F. BADGETT - *Sports Editor*
CHARLES EDWARDS - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Military Editor*
GRETA BIDDLE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Girls' Sports Editor*
ELIZ. MCMILLAN - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Alumni Editor*
JACK WALKER, HELENE HUDSON - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Feature Editors*
ELBERT KELLEY, BETTY LYNN HOSKINS - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Artists*
ROSE ALLISON - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Exchange Editor*

REPORTERS

ANNE BRAKEBILL
HELEN MIDDLETON
HELEN DAVIS
JO RUTH PERRY
OLIN JULIAN
WILLIAM MOSES

BUSINESS DEPARTMENT

DON PAINE - *Business Manager*
CHARLES WARE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Assistant Business Manager*
OWEN HUFF, JR. - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Advertising Manager*
MILDRED REID - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Assistant Advertising Manager*
GEORGE MCNUTT - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Circulation Manager*
MARY WARE - *Stenographer*
KITTY LEE TRAINUM - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *General Secretary*
MARY KATE HOWELL - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Assistant General Secretary*
ELRAE BALDON - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Assistant General Secretary*
BERNICE MORGAN - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Mail and File Clerk*



BLUE AND WHITE STAFF

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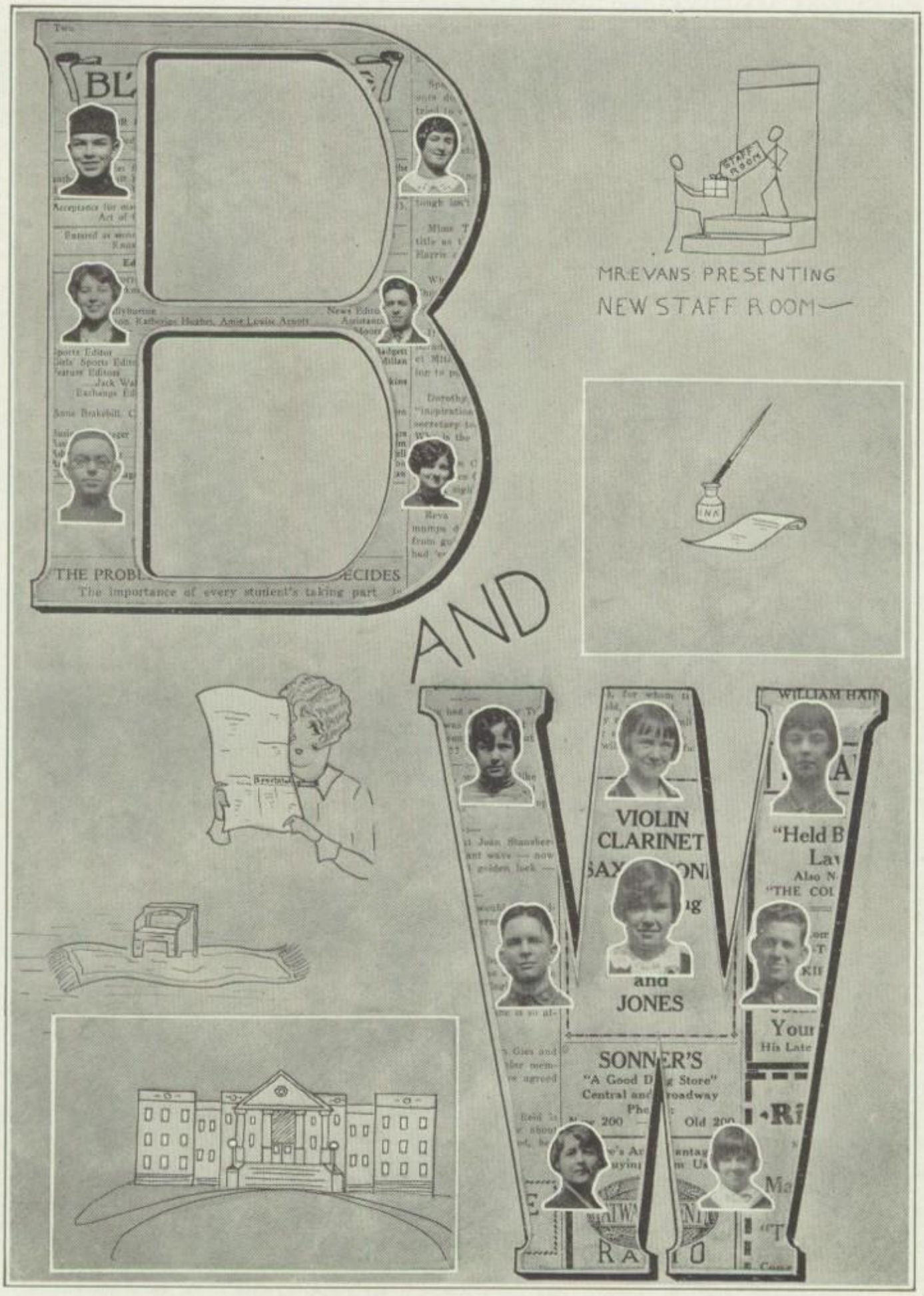

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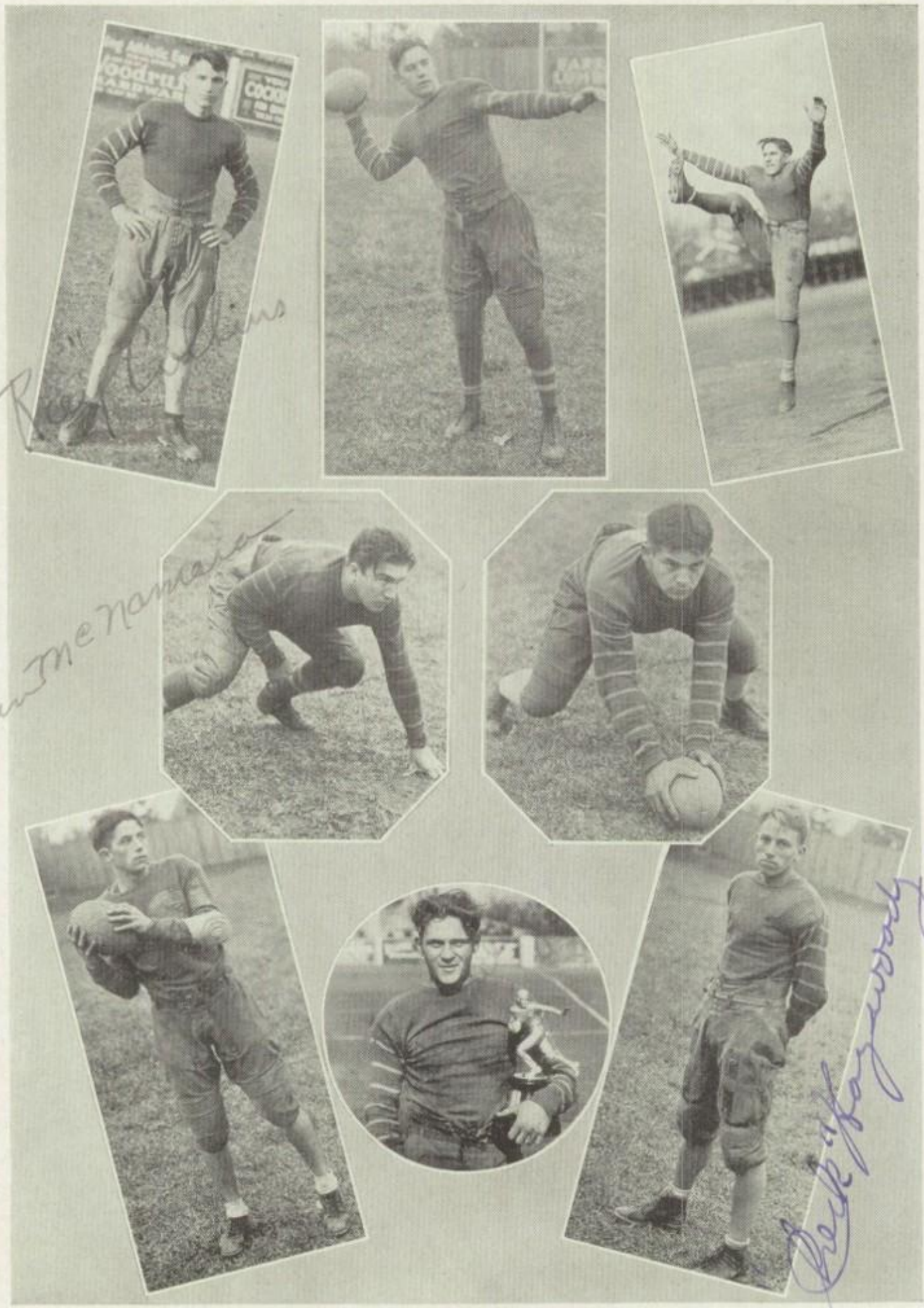
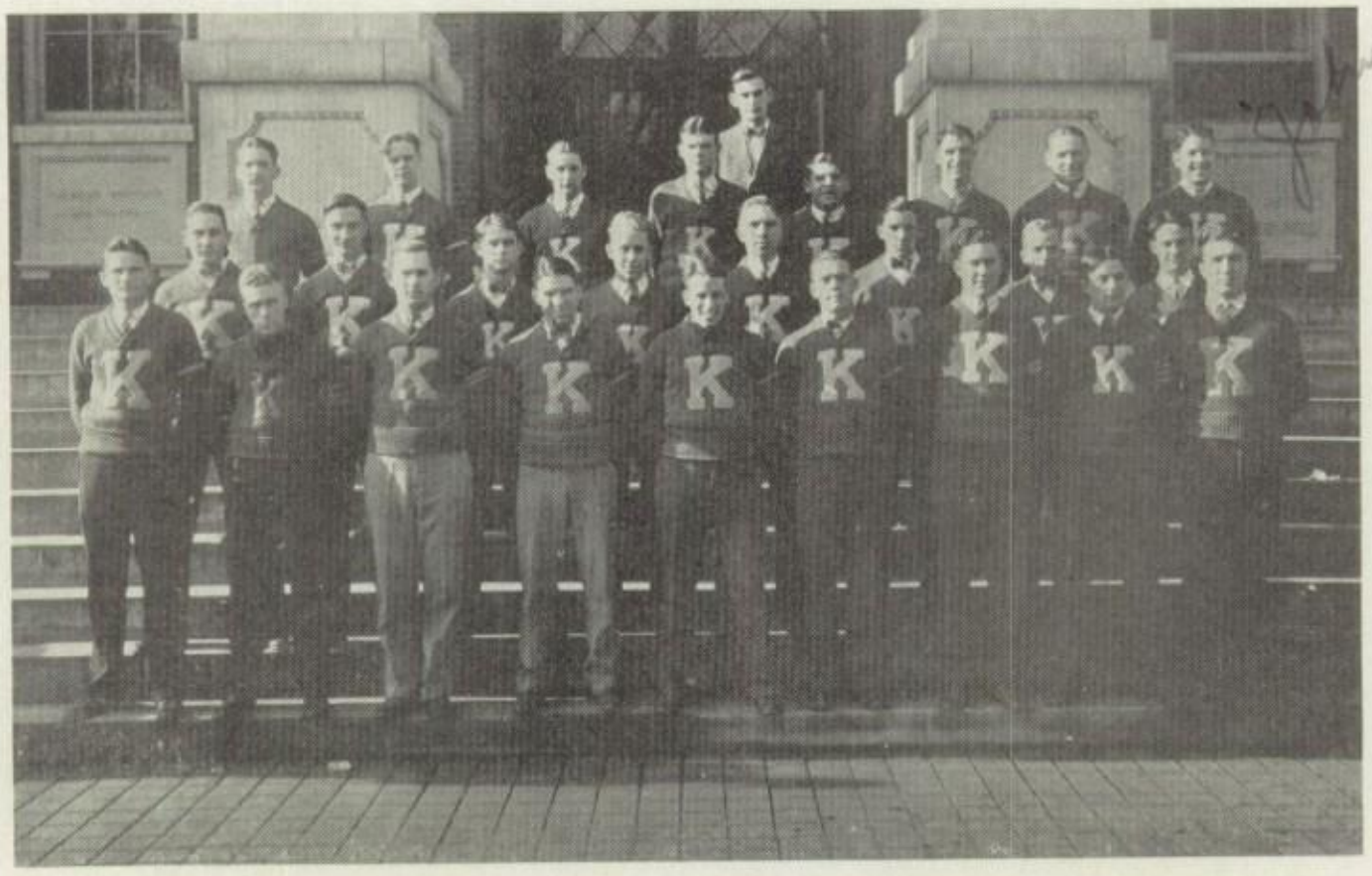


ATHLETIC SNAPSHOTS

Sportmanship
State Honors
1927.
ATHLETICS
Basketball.



The "K" Club

The "K" Club is composed of boys who have made their letter in one or more branches of sport in the school.

Officers for the fall term were:

ARCHIE MONROE - *President*
CLYDE BUTLER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Vice-President*
RAY COLLINS - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Secretary*
ROY CONNER - - - - - - - - - - - *Sergeant-at-Arms*

Officers for the spring term were:

WILLIAM POE - *President*
OSCAR BEAVER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Vice-President*
ROY CONNER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Secretary*

JOHNNY "RED" FLOYD

The most popular coach K. H. S. ever had, John C. Floyd, is leaving us, having accepted an offer from his alma mater, Vanderbilt University.

Johnny Floyd came to K. H. S. in 1925 and turned out one of the most successful football teams in the history of the school, and so with his other teams, basketball and baseball. Under him athletics in Knoxville High School have been raised to a higher standard than ever before.

We are sorry to see Coach Floyd leave, but at the same time wish him the best of success at Vanderbilt.

JOE B. LONG

Coach Long last year turned out the most successful track team in the school history. He is in charge of the track work again this year, and we are expecting another championship team.

RAYMOND COLLINS
Captain, Football

CLYDE BUTLER
Captain, Baseball

WILLIAM BLACKWELL
Captain, Basketball

OSCAR BEAVER
Captain, Track

WORTH MABRY
Captain, Girls' Basketball

FOOTBALL TEAM

Football

JOHN C. FLOYD - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Coach*

RAYMOND COLLINS - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Captain*

EARL WRIGHT - - - - - - - - - - - *Manager*

Although losing ten men by graduation and handicapped by injuries the entire year, a harder fighting team never represented the Blue and White.

Playing ten games with Captain Ray Collins out of the first four, and Ray Parks, Bill Poe, Roy Conner, Bill Collins also on the injured list, the Trojans managed to go through the season without a defeat, winning five games and tying five.

The greatest come-back of the year was against Baylor at Chattanooga. Baylor was leading the Trojans 7 to 0 until the last two minutes of play and the ball on our forty-yard line, when on a series of passes, Poe to Butler and Parks, and the last one to Lawson, who carried it over for a touchdown, the extra point was given to K. H. S. as Baylor was off side. The whistle blew before they lined up for the kick-off.

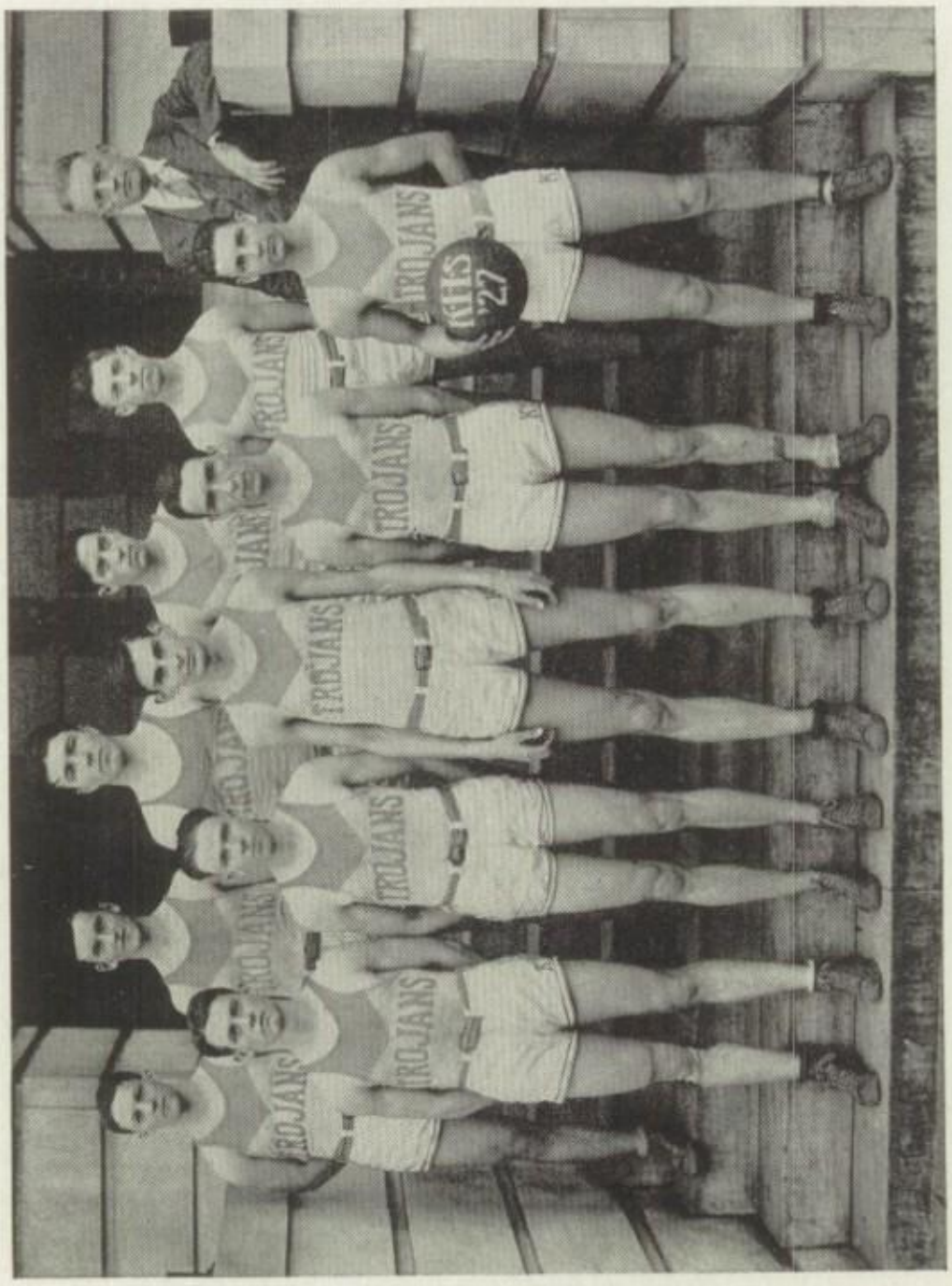
In one of the best games of the season, the Trojans defeated the strong Kingsport team, who had not been defeated until then. The score was 3 to 0, accomplished by a field goal from the toe of Charles Kohlhase, substitute backfield man. This was the last game before the annual affair with County.

Central had been victorious over some of the strongest teams in this section, with the exception of a defeat at the hands of M. B. A. from Nashville. They were again favored to win, but those hard-fighting, never-give-up Trojans threw the Central backs for losses time after time, cutting them off around end, breaking up their passing attack. We held them to a scoreless tie.

Lettermen

RAY COLLINS, *Captain*
CLYDE BUTLER
MARTIN MCNAMARA
ARCHIE MONROE
KYLE MOORE
TAYLOR COLLINS
WILLIAM POE
GLASGOW RUSSELL
JOHN JACKSON
HOWARD CONNELLY
CHESTER HAWORTH
FRANK DAY
RATHOMEL WALLER
WILLIAM COLLINS
PAUL LAWSON
CECIL SMITH
CHARLES KOHLHASE
ROY CONNER, *Captain Elect*
EARL WRIGHT, *Manager*

CHEER LEADERS



BASKETBALL TEAM

Basketball

EAST TENNESSEE CHAMPIONS

JOHN C. FLOYD - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Coach*

WILLIAM BLACKWELL - - - - - - - - - - - *Captain*

OLLIE HALE - - - - - - - - - - *Manager*

With the return of five lettermen from last year's squad, the Trojans had a most successful season. Thirty-five games were played, twenty-nine were won, six lost.

At the first of the season a number of games were played with various teams within the city; included among them was a victory over the University of Tennessee.

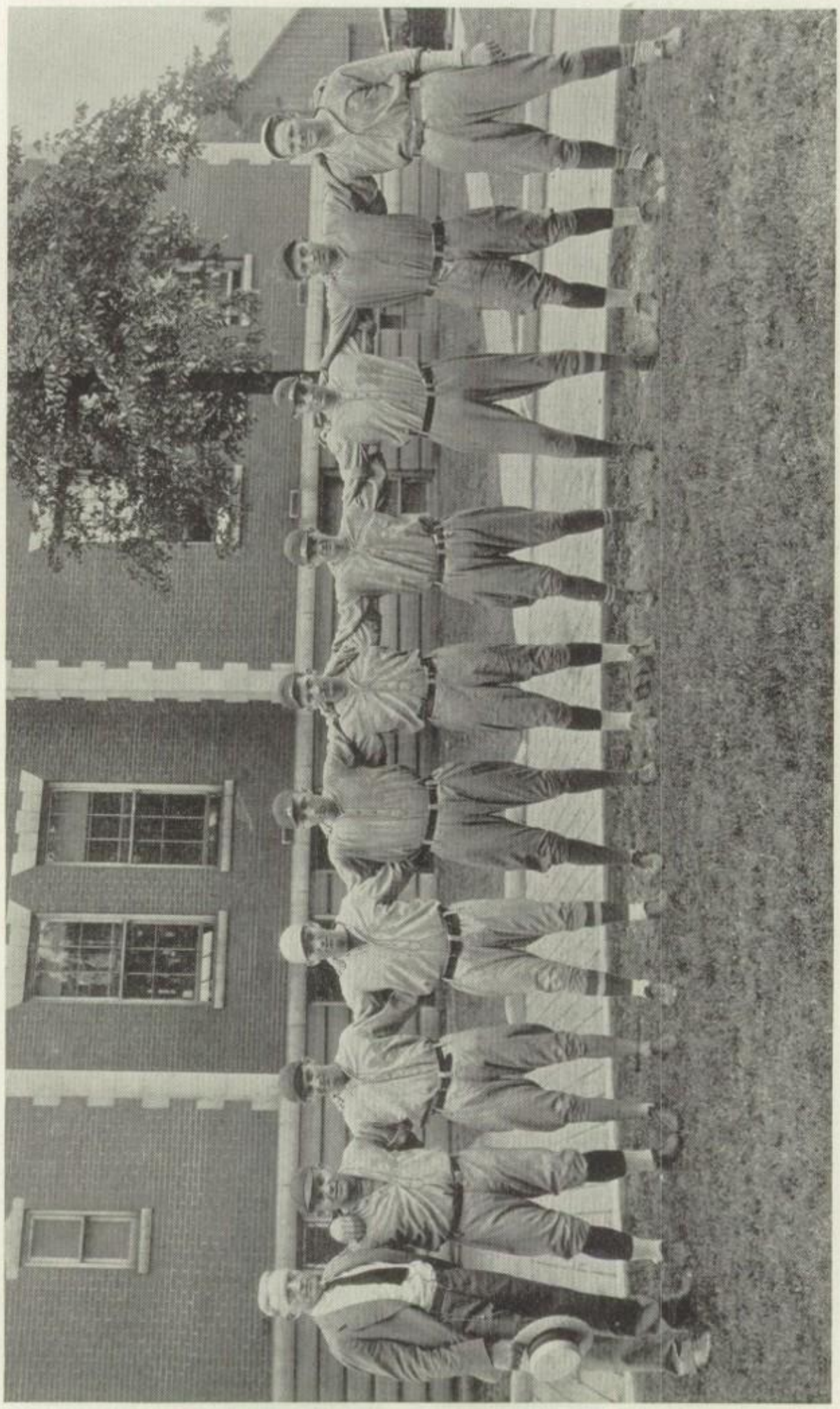
Entering the East Tennessee tournament with "Puss" Hodge, star forward, on the bench with a twisted ankle, the Trojans fought through and won six hard games to carry away the honors from the best teams in East Tennessee. Yearwood and O'Conner, forward and guard, were chosen unanimously for all-tournament teams, while Hodge and Blackwell also received mention. Martin McNamara was given the trophy offered to the individual scoring the highest number of points in a single game. McNamara scored twenty-eight points against Maryville High School.

Two weeks later the Trojans journeyed to the state tournament at Nashville. However, they were eliminated in the semi-finals by Alpine High. They lost by a one-point margin. Although not winning the tournament, the K. H. S. team was awarded the cup for sportsmanship.

"Rabbit" Yearwood, besides winning the individual prize for sportsmanship and being high point man of the tourney, again was chosen for forward on the all-state team along with "Greenie" Greenblott, center.

LETTERMEN

BILL BLACKWELL, *Captain*
"RABBIT" YEARWOOD
ERNIE O'CONNER
ARTHUR "PUSS" HODGE
"GREENIE" GREENBLOTT
OLLIE HALE
RALPH MCAMIS
MARTIN MCNAMARA
CLYDE BUTLER
RODNEY NAPIER



BASEBALL TEAM

Baseball

EAST TENNESSEE CHAMPIONS

JOHN C. FLOYD - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Coach*

CLYDE BUTLER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Captain*

The baseball team of '26 had a fairly successful season, winning twelve games and losing one. The lost game was in a series in which they won two out of three.

Lack of a representative schedule with the leading teams of the state was the reason the team did not claim the State Championship, although they were awarded the East Tennessee Championship without any dispute.

The team, as a whole, did not rank with the great championship teams of 1918, 1922 and 1925 in that the out-field and pitching were weak.

Prospects are only fair again this year, owing to the loss of several men by graduation; Paylor, catcher, and White and Foust, two of the greatest athletes that ever wore the Blue and White. White played shortstop; Foust, third base. William Ferrell, pitcher, also was lost by graduation.

LETTERMEN

BURL FOUST, *Captain*
EUGENE WHITE
HARRY PAYLOR
WILLIAM FERRELL
ARTHUR HODGE
CLYDE BUTLER *Captain Elect*
ROY CONNER
JAMES COURTNEY
ARCHIE MONROE
RATHOMEL WALLER
CARL YEARWOOD
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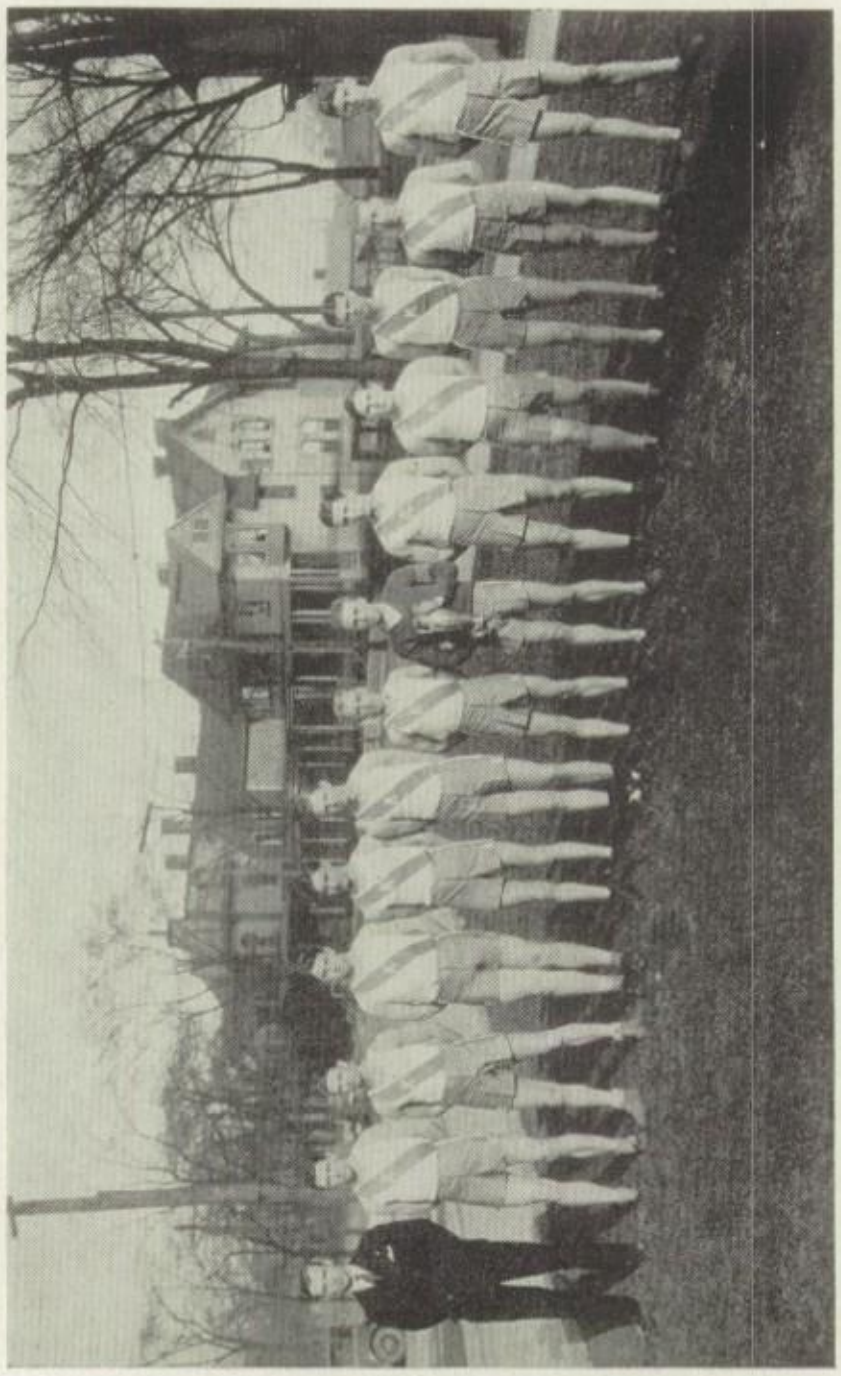


TRACK TEAM

Track

EAST TENNESSEE CHAMPIONS

JOE B. LONG - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Coach*

OSCAR BEAVER - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Captain*

The track team of 1926 was perhaps the best which has ever represented Knoxville High School. A very attractive schedule was arranged, including the annual R. O. T. C. meet, in which practically every boy interested in track took part. This meet was won by "C" Company. Ivan Andes, track captain, won the Heflin Cup donated by J. O. Heflin to the individual scoring the highest number of points in the meet.

Next came a dual meet with Monroe County High, at Madisonville. This the Trojans easily won. Kingsport came to Knoxville next to avenge a defeat of the preceding year, but returned home smarting from another defeat.

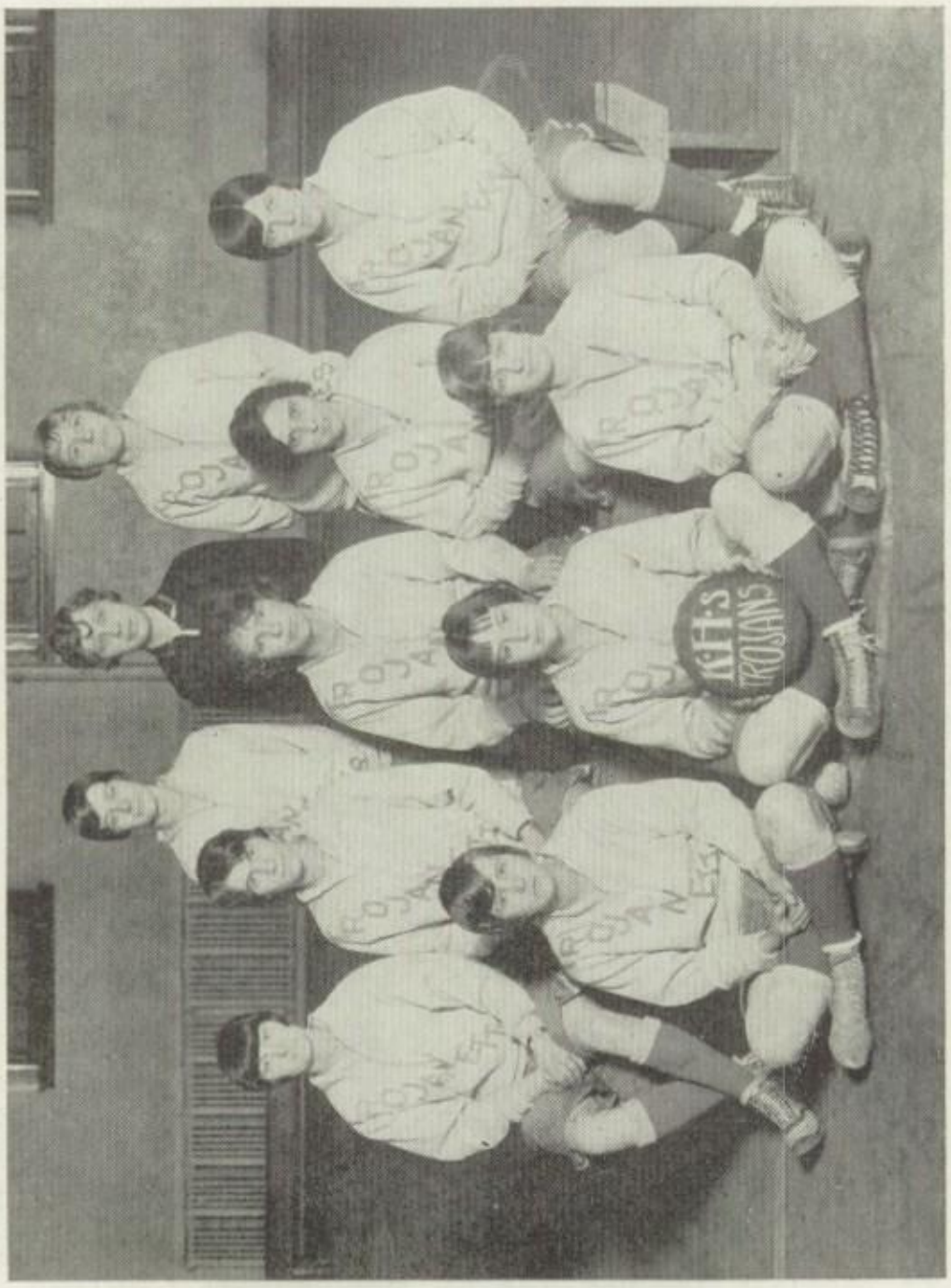
The Trojans next entered the interscholastic meets held by the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, the Southern Meet, sponsored by Vanderbilt University at Nashville, and the Upper East Tennessee Meet sponsored by Milligan College.

In the first and last, the Trojans again easily triumphed, but in the Southern meet at Nashville they were nosed out by the strong Baylor team from Chattanooga by only a few points.

Captain Ivan Andes, Carl Benton, Charles Lobetti, accompanied by Coach Joe B. Long, represented K. H. S. in the National Meet at Chicago, June third and fourth. Without a doubt this has been the greatest year for track in the history of Knoxville High School. Seventy-four awards were won by the team in the form of cups, medals, and prizes of different kinds.

LETTERMEN

IVAN ANDES, *Captain*
OSCAR BEAVER
DAVID BUCHANAN
CHARLES LOBETTI
PAUL BUCKLES
JAMES HEFLIN
JAMES ROSS
FRANK GROVES
JOHN JACKSON
CARL BENTON
JOHN ROSE
LAWRENCE DYSART
TAYLOR COLLINS
JESS TILLET
WILLIAM BLACKWELL
HUGH SMITH, *Manager*



GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM

Girls' Basketball

MISS MARY HOUSE - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Coach*

WORTH MABRY - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - *Captain*

The Knoxville High School Trojanettes, coached by Miss Mary House, had one of the most successful seasons in the history of the school, since they won eight out of ten games played, before entering the East Tennessee tournament, losing only to Maryville High School in the second game with them on their court, and to the strong Elizabethton team from Upper East Tennessee.

In the annual East Tennessee Tournament sponsored by the University of Tennessee, and out of a field of thirty-two girls' teams, the Trojanettes carried the Blue and White colors into the semi-finals only to suffer a second defeat at the hands of the Elizabethton team.

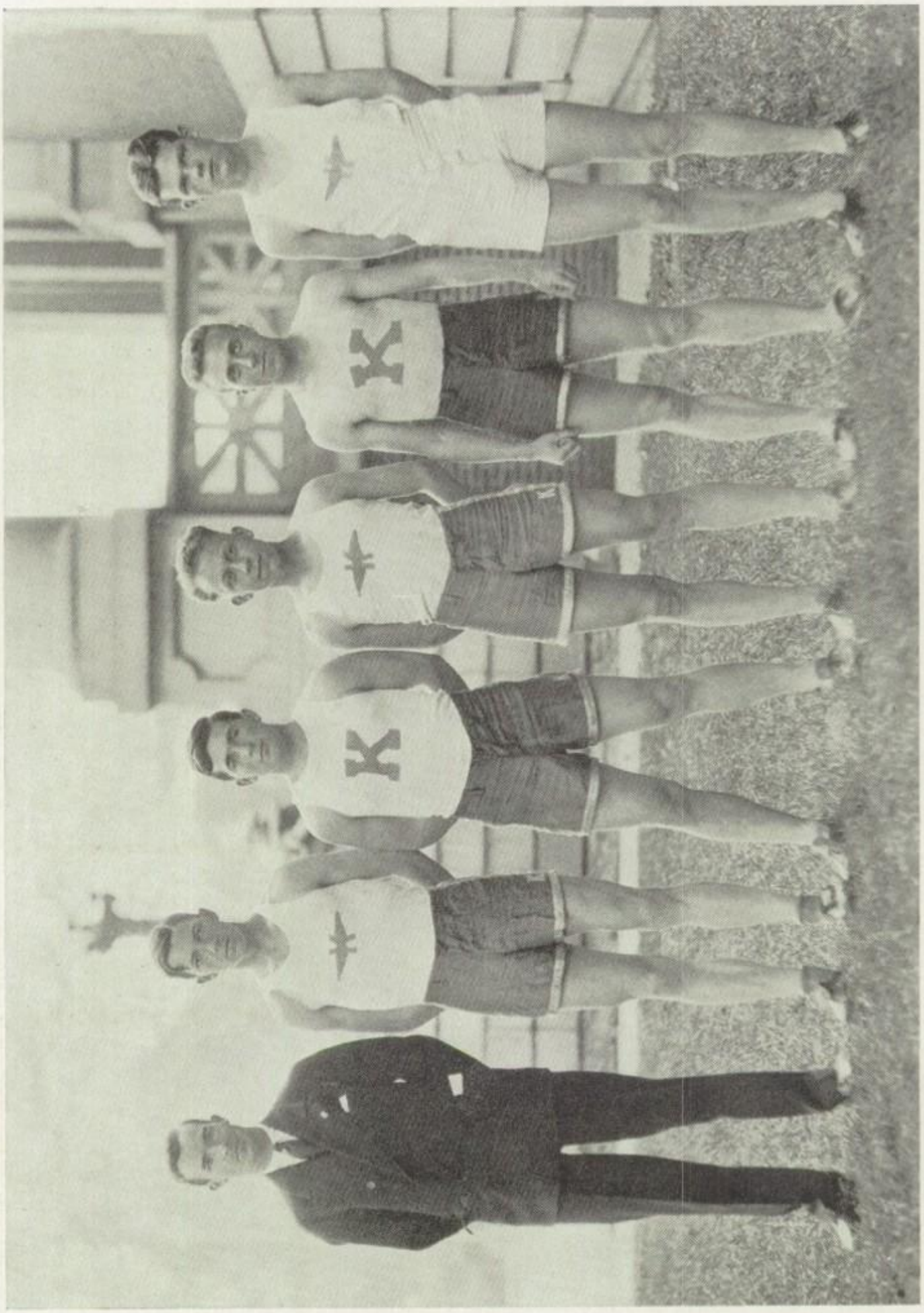
Annie Tannenbaum, guard, and Captain Mabry were placed on all-tournament teams picked by officials of the tourney.

Others placed on second and third teams were Hallie Erwin, Sarah Francis Lavin, guards, and Evelyn Petree, forward.

Captain Worth Mabry with 144 points was the highest scorer of the team for the season. Evelyn Petree was second with 139 points. The only other scorers for the season were Sadie Dender, Greta Biddle, and Agnes O'Connor.

LETTERMEN

WORTH MABRY, *Captain*
EVELYN PETREE
SADIE DENDER
AGNES O'CONNOR
ANNIE TANNENBAUM
SARAH FRANCIS LAVIN
HALLIE ERWIN
ANNA MAE PERRY
GRETA BIDDLE



RELAY TEAM

Locals

SEPTEMBER

21 Freshies jamming the halls looking frantically for "elevators" and "bargain seats" to chapel.

24 Football season starts off with a boom. Prospects fine.

25 No, Freshies, we don't come to school on Saturday.

27 Seniors elect officers. Well, Lawrence.

29 The Orr brothers think they can raise chickens. The judges in the poultry show think so too.

30 Pep meeting. Curley Ross elected cheer leader. Let's go, High School.

OCTOBER

1 School Day at the East Tennessee Division Fair. (And it rained.)

2 Art Classes win prizes in the Fair Exhibit. Aren't we proud of them?

5 "Voice" staff elected. Of all the shocks!

6 The Girl Reserves welcome Miss Sale as their new leader.

8 Goodby, Kingston. We're sorry we beat you so bad. Also Student Council elected.

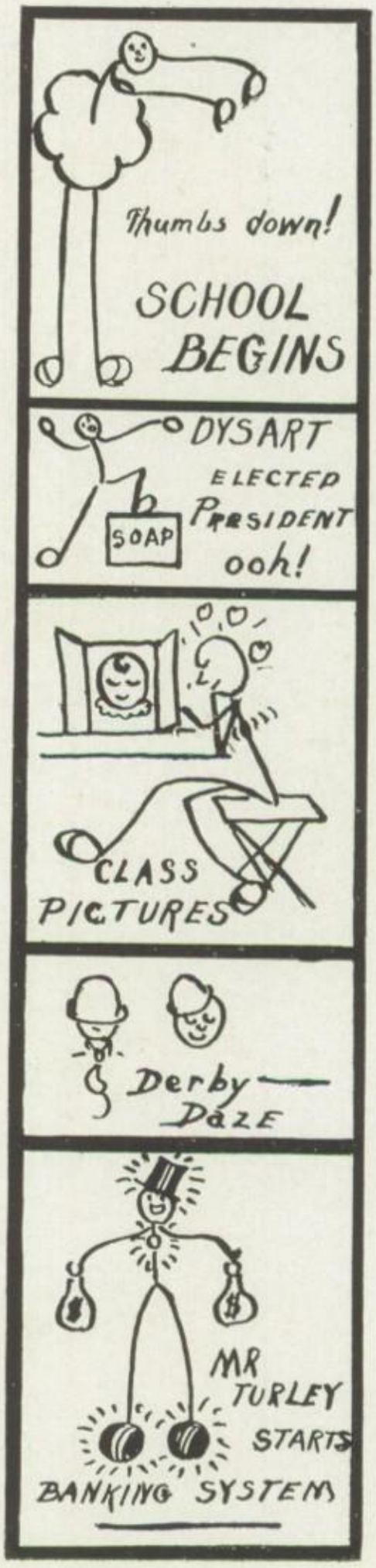
11 Big mystery. "Not how much, but how many." What's it all about?

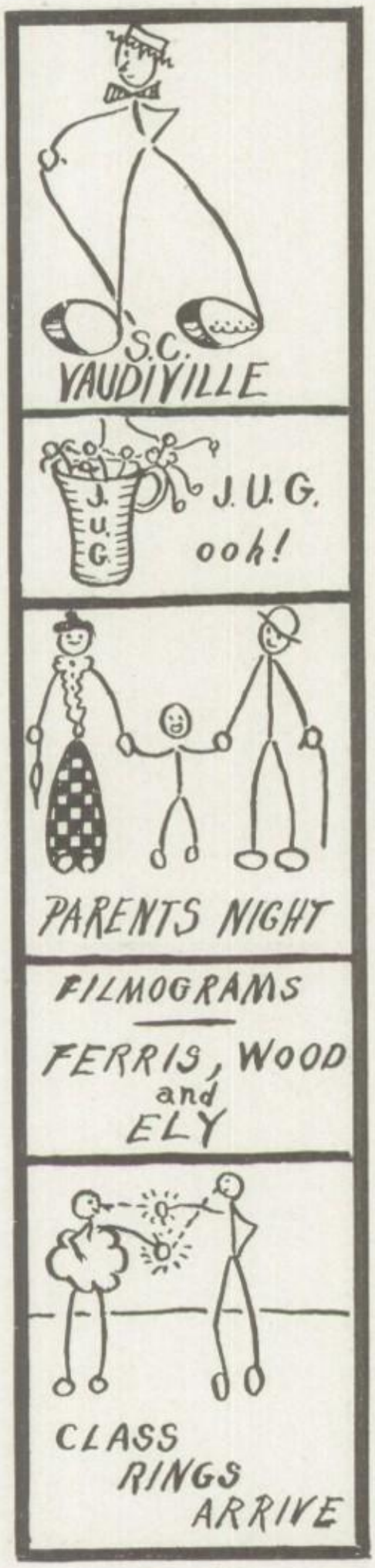
13 First girl-president elected to head the Honor Society.

14 Class colors selected. Hooray for the Crimson and Gold.

15 Sponsors named for the R. O. T. C. Companies.

19 EXTRA! All about the big mystery. It's out at last. New banking system introduced.





Locals

22 All aboard for Sweetwater! Whew! That was a close shave. We tied.

23 Blue Monday.

29 Half holiday. E. T. E. A. meets.

31 Faculty Frolic given by Girl Reserves.

NOVEMBER

4 Another tie. Never mind; we'll win some day.

10 Joyland. Barrels of fun and frolic. Don't miss it.

11 Big parade. Hi-Y weiner roast.

12 Oliver Cook got a haircut!

19 Old grads come back. Dramatic Club presents three plays in their honor. "Joint Owners in Spain," "Two Crooks and a Lady," and "Aria da Capo."

23 Cross-country run. Girl Reserve hobo party.

24 Turkey Day.

30 Ruth Hallyburton honored with the presidency of the Student Council.

DECEMBER

1 Twenty-five days 'till Christmas.

2 Football stars rushed. Why?

3 (Answer to yesterday's query.) Letters presented in chapel.

14 More elections. Junior Class officers this time.

Locals

19 We see by the papers that our President is engaged!

21 Blue and White becomes member of the Quill and Scroll.

22 Pickle School received dolls today. Curley, you sure do make a good Santy.

24 Hang up the stockings.

25 Teachers agree that there's no place like home.

JANUARY

3 Everybody back. Same old building 'n everything.

4 The office has moved. Where is it?

25 Cram, cram, cram. Everybody's doing it.

26 Cram, cram, cram, again.

27 Promotion (?) Day. Much rejoicing (?). Junior Class play. We all enjoyed it.

FEBRUARY

1 Lenoir City, what's the matter? 50 to 23.

4 Boys, dress up! Colonel Rowell is coming to review you.

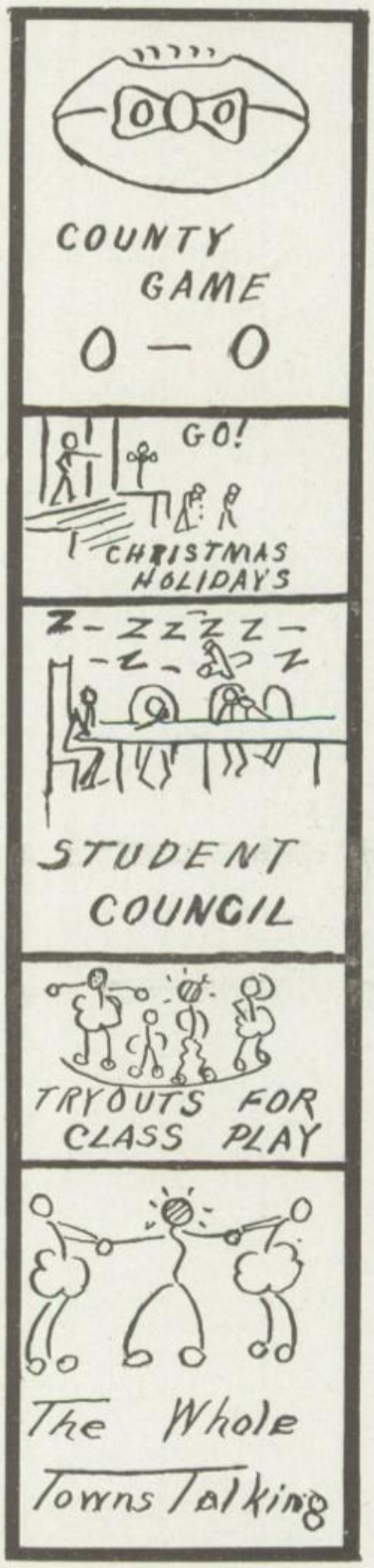
17 Best Girl Night at the Hi-Y Club.

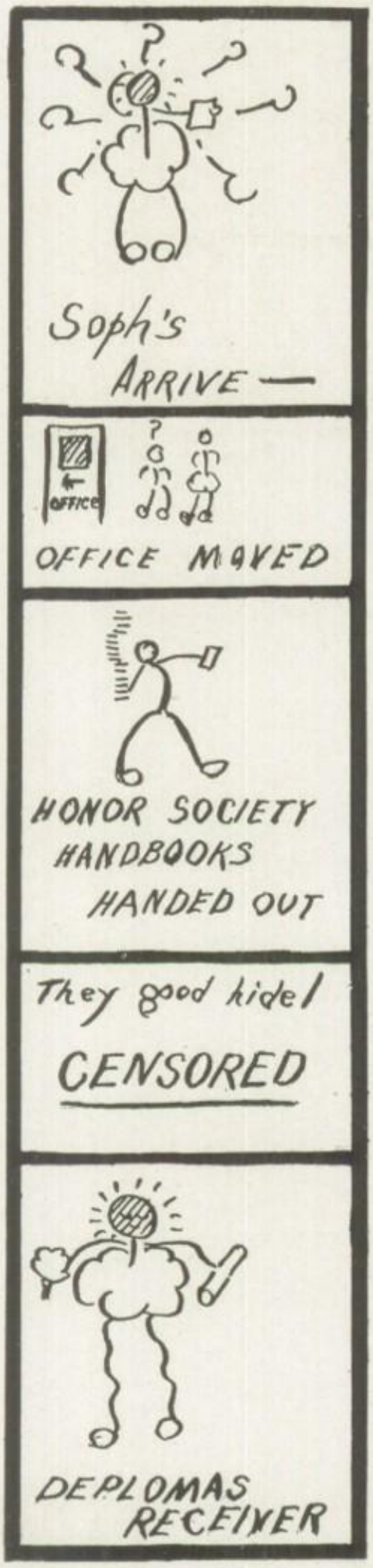
18 Handbooks arrive.

21 John Brown comes to town.

22 What famous person was born on this day? (It wasn't me.)

23 Cast selected for the Senior Class play.





Locals

MARCH

1 Whew! Snow at last.

2 Boys won the first game of the tournament.

3 High School wins again.

4 Still winning. Say, we're getting good.

5 Hooray! I reckon you know what for. We won the East Tennessee Championship. Also Alumni banquet of Honor Society.

14 Boys go to Nashville. We didn't win, but we made 'em think we were going to.

25 BIG NIGHT. Fashion show. Wedding 'n all.

27 Voice staff in chapel.

APRIL

1 Don't be a fool; see the Mikado, says the sign-boards.

8 Commencement speakers chosen.

17 The Easter bunny comes.

20 We see that the B. & W. have initiated fifteen new members.

MAY

1 Boys' week begins.

10 K. H. S. track meet. Everybody go.

24 R. O. T. C. Competition Drill Day.

27 What will we do without our dear little Seniors? This is their last day.

29 Baccalaureate sermon.

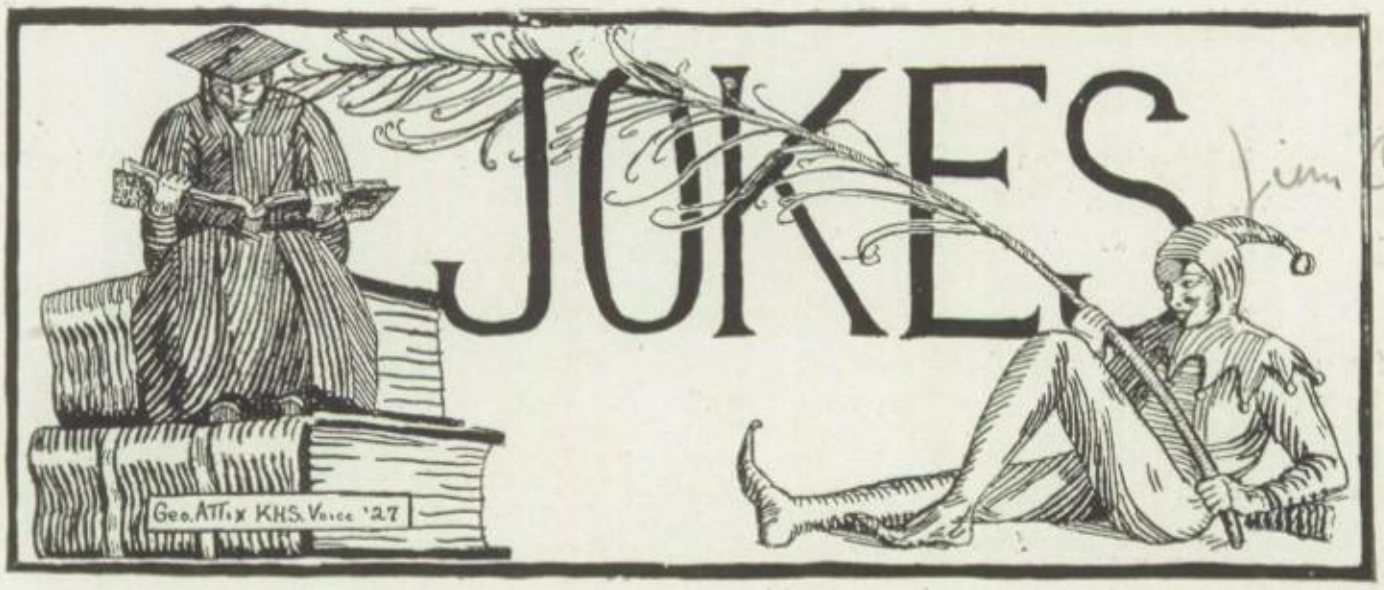
31 Senior Class play.

JUNE

1 Publication banquet.

2 Commencement Night.

3 Banquet. Final goodby's and tears.



Miss Kent: "Who invented the first steam engine?"
Sleepy Sophomore: "What?"
Miss Kent: "That's right—Watt."

The would-be G. Washington: "I can say that a falsehood has never come out of my mouth."
Wise One: "It's a good thing you talk through your nose."

Optimism—Victor Jacobs puts a two-cent stamp on a letter and marks it "Rush."

Parker: "What is snoring?"
Dysart: "Sheet music."

Ivan Andes: "I've been reading some statistics. Every time I breathe a man dies."
L. C. Shelton: "Did you ever try Listerine?"

Delivery Man (on Friday): "Here's a package for you."
Lunch Room Cook: "What is it?"
Delivery Man: "It's fish and marked C. O. D."
Cook: "Then take it back. I ordered mackerel."

S. Johnston: "What are gentlemen farmers, Miss Broady?"
Miss Broady: "Gentlemen farmers are farmers who raise their hat and hardly anything else."

Mr. Lowry: "How much time did you spend on your lesson, Ed?"
Ed Brenizer: "Five hours."
Mr. Lowry: "How so?"
E. B.: "I put my book under the mattress and slept on it."

Mr. Herdon: "What can you tell me about nitrates?"
Tom Parham: "Well, they're lots cheaper than day rates."

Miss McDougall: "What is a net?"
Bright Soph.: "Holes tied together with strings."

"You mean thing! You said you wouldn't give away that secret I told you."
"I didn't. I exchanged it for another secret."

Jokes

Charlie Wayland (on the train to Nashville): "Say, porter, did you find a five-dollar bill on the floor this morning?"
Porter: "Yes, suh. Thank you, suh."

Miss Broady: "Have you forgotten your pencil again today, James? What would you think of a soldier without a gun?"
Jim McCoy: "I'd think he was an officer."

You never can tell how many parts there are to a Ford until you hit a telephone pole.

"What do you want?"
"A rubber band, and make it snappy!"

Barbara M.: "It's a nice day, isn't it?"
M. M.: "Yes, nicest Tuesday we've had this week."

Charlie K.: "I have something to tell you, but I don't know just how to say it. Er—I mean—ah—."
Betty Lynn: "Could I help you by saying 'Yes'?"

A woman from the country made a deposit consisting of several items. After ascertaining the amount the receiving teller asked: "Did you foot it up?"
"No, I rode in," she said.

A rookie, the victim of many practical jokes in the camp, was on guard duty for the first time.
"Who goes there?" he cried at a noise from the bush.
"Major Moses," was the answer.
("Another joke," thought the rookie.) "All right, Major Moses. Advance and give the Ten Commandments."

Agent: "Is your father at home, little boy?"
Freddie: "No, he ain't been home since Maw caught Santy kissing the maid."

Mr. Browning: "When rain falls, does it ever rise again?"
Charlie Patton: "Oh yes, in dew time."

George Monroe: "This soup is spoiled."
Miss Conway: "Who told you?"
George: "A little swallow."

Mr. Watkin: "Who can name one important thing we have now that we did not have one hundred years ago?"
Hal Clements: "Me."

Jokes

Jim McNutt: "Women are not what they used to be."
George McNutt: "Well, no. They used to be girls."

C. Wayland: "That girl's a blonde, isn't she?"
Farmer: "No, she's a Johnson."

Nina Newcom: "The height of tightwadness is the fellow who doesn't spend anything but the afternoon."

Lawrence Dysart: "It's raining, Mr. Northcutt."
Mr. Northcutt: "I don't care; let it rain."
Lawrence: "I was going to."

Tom Parham: "I seldom think of my audience when I'm singing."
Kyle Moore: "But you ought to have some consideration for them, Tom."

Clarence Davis: "Can you take a joke?"
"Ducky": "Please don't propose, Clarence."

It is said that about two pieces of wood go to the making of a violin. This doesn't include the head of the fellow who merely thinks he can play one.

Tom Parham: "How can I become popular?"
Hal Clements: "Commit suicide."

Mims: "How long did it take you to learn to skate?"
Owen H.: "Oh, about a dozen sittings."

Mr. Northcutt: "Now, Charlie, who were the four horsemen?"
Charlie: "Paul Revere, Theodore Roosevelt, Jesse James, and—ah—Barney Google."

Eleanor Hacker: "What are you doing with that red lantern?"
Charles Rising: "I just found it. Some fool left it beside a hole in the road."

Miss Kent: "Why are the Turks considered brave soldiers?"
Bright Soph.: "Because a man with two wives will face death more willingly than a man with one."

Kathleen Whittaker: "Hello! Know who this is?"
George McNutt: "I can't tell; the light's out in this booth."

Jokes

Anxious Mother: "But don't you think my boy is really trying?"
Teacher: "Yes, madam, your son is the most trying boy in school."

Mr. Lowry: "How does the jeweler test the gold?"
Virginia Booth: "They weigh it by karats, don't they?"
Ed Brenizer: "I thought they used parsnips."

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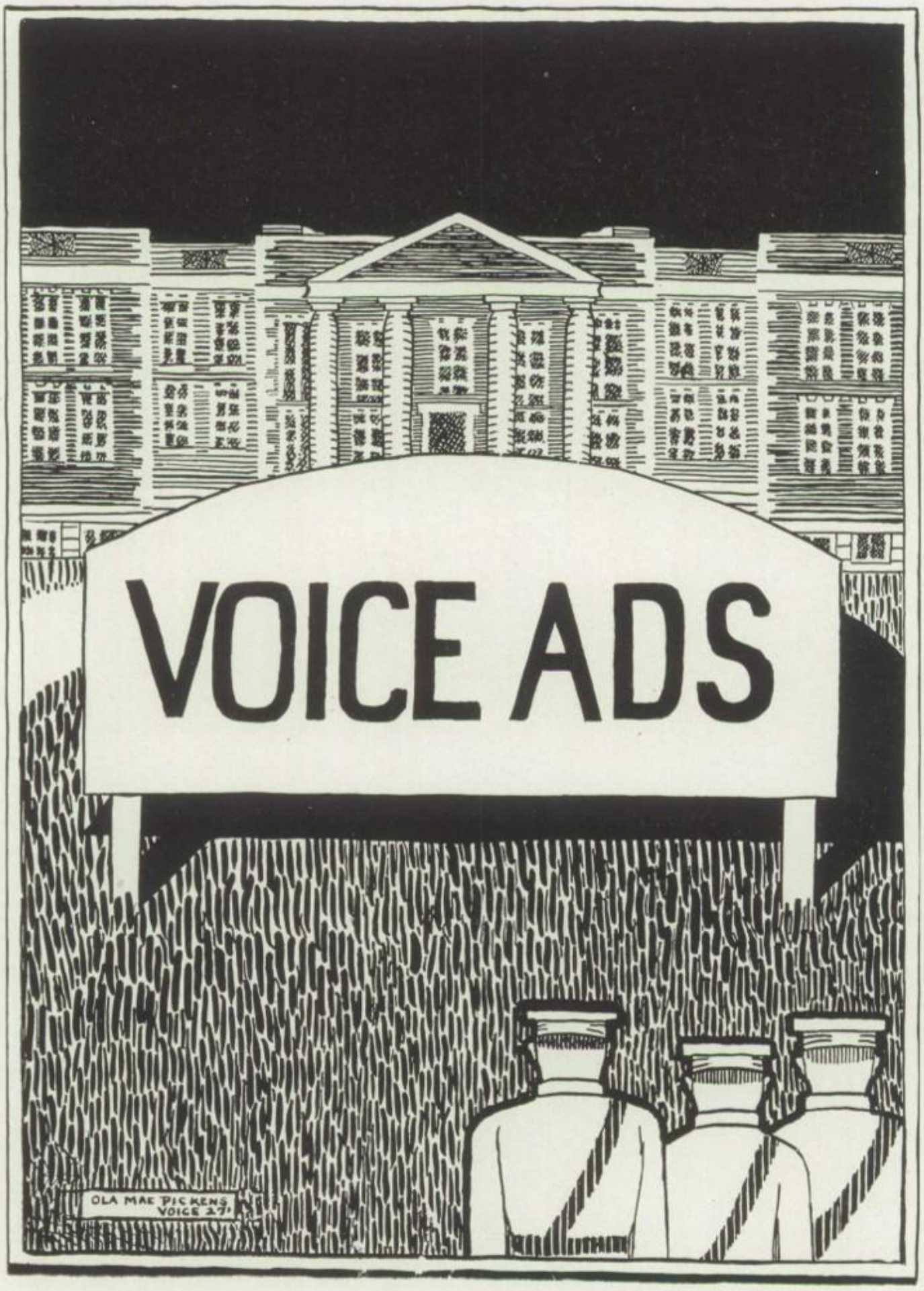
John: "I hear Bill was kicked off the squad."
Jack: "How so?"
John: "He was told to tackle the dummy and he tackled the coach."

Chester Haworth: "You raised your hat to that girl who passed. You don't know her, do you?"
George Monroe: "No, but my brother does, and this is his hat."

Mr. Earnest: "Ed, what went with all of those sandwiches?"
Ed: "I thought that $3 included my board too."

Ben Gaston wants an answer to this question: "Who is the best looking and smartest boy in the class, and why am I?"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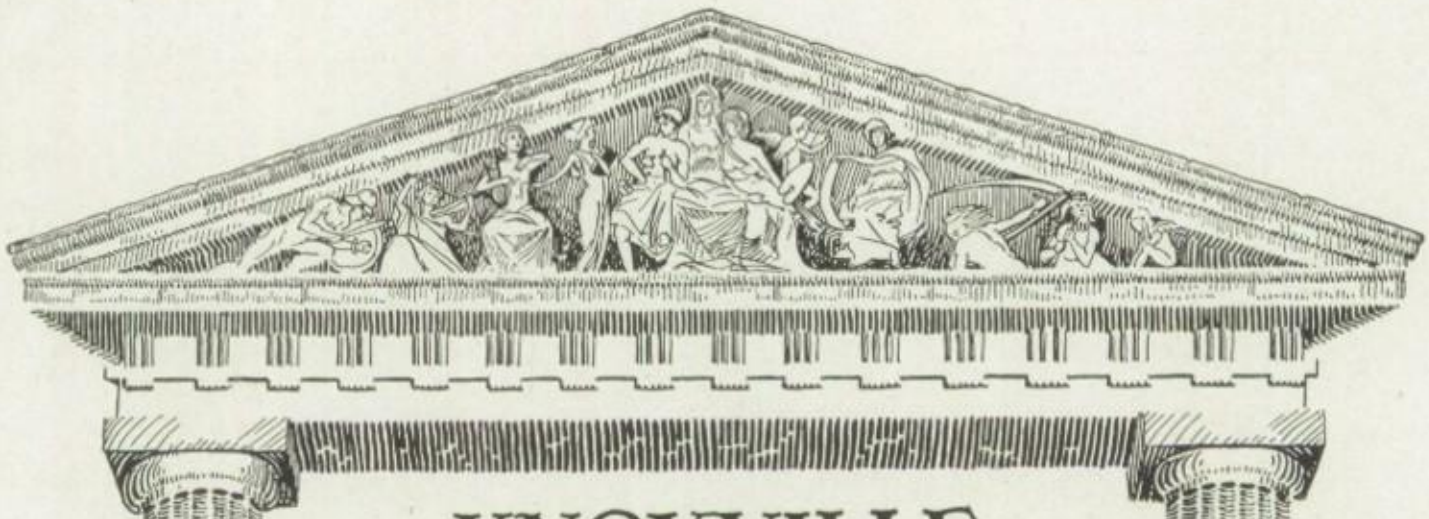

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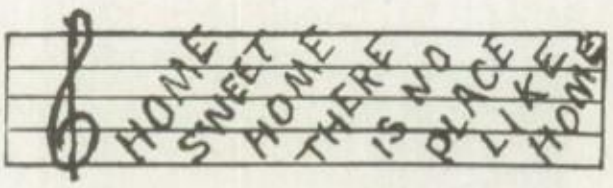

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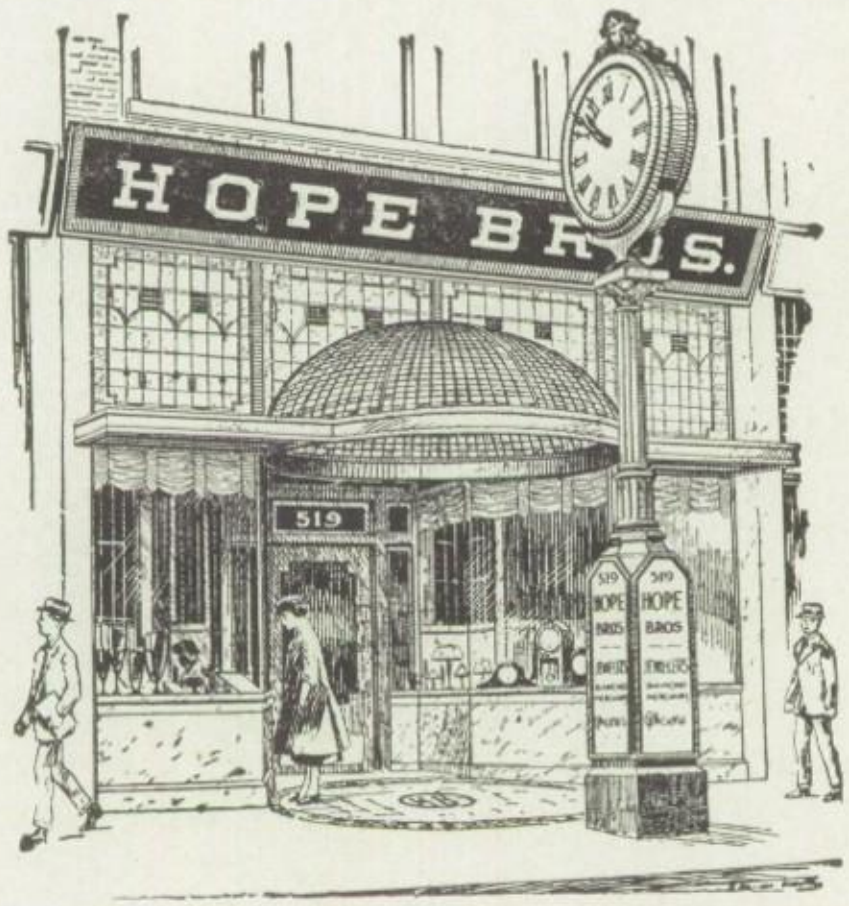

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